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WILLIAM BROWN MURDERED

A FEW MILES BELOW LITTLESTOWN ACROSS MD. LINE.

Body Dragged a Half Mile Across the Country to a Woods.

William F. Brown, a young farmer 20 years old, son of William Brown, and a brother of Mrs. J. I. Burgoon and Miss Gertrude Brown of Springs avenue, this place, was brutally murdered on his farm about three miles below Littlestown across the line in Maryland. The murder was committed on New Year's Day and was the work of an 18 year old colored boy, Solomon Suttler, in the employ of Mr. Brown.

Mr. Brown was in the barn milking when Suttler struck him over the head with a cobbler stone causing a wound as large as a man's fist and exposing the brain. Death it is believed was instantaneous. The instrument causing the wound has not been found on the premises. The body was then dragged from the stable and thrown over the barn yard fence. Then the murderer tied a rope around the body, hitched a horse to the rope and dragged the body across a plowed field and through an orchard to a woods about half a mile from the scene of the crime, where he left it. Then he mounted the horse and rode home. He told Mrs. Brown he was going away and asked if he should lock the front door when he went out. She replied "yes." After dressing he started for a neighbor's where he met a chum. They reached Silver Run and went to Westminster by the Littlestown bus. They then proceeded by a bus to Reisterstown and started toward Baltimore. The companion had been caught and states that Suttler told him of the murder and later when they found shelter for the night as they went toward Baltimore, he awoke to find that Suttler had disappeared. The companion is being held as a witness.

Mrs. Brown, having charge of her sick baby, retired early Saturday evening. She awoke about midnight and finding her husband missing, became alarmed and went to the barn for him. There she found the lantern turned over, hanging from a nail in the cow stable, having been placed there by her husband early in the evening. Not being able to account for his continued absence, she made several trips to the barn during the night. At an early hour Sunday morning she went to the home of Murray Maschenheimer, who was frequently employed by her husband, and they began the search. Finding blood stains on the straw in the cow stable, they tracked them to the barn yard fence, the trail leading to the woods, where the lifeless body was found, partly hidden in a clump of bushes and undergrowth.

The sheriff and coroner of Carroll county were notified and after a preliminary inquest the body was removed to the house.

Mr. Brown had about thirty dollars in his pocketbook when murdered, and this was missing when the dead body was found. He had paid Murray Maschenheimer for some labor Saturday afternoon, and was seen putting the money back in his pocket book by the negro, and this is supposed to have offered the motive for the tragedy.

Mr. Brown was a well-to-do young farmer and resided on his father's farm, better known as the old David Peaser homestead, about a mile south of Littlestown. He was held in high esteem by all who knew him. He was for several years secretary of the Sunday School of the Lutheran Church, Silver Run. The funeral held on Wednesday, attracted the largest assemblage ever held in Silver Run. The services were conducted by Rev. J. Luther Hoffman.

The surviving wife was Miss Esther Kaufman of Westminster, having been married two years ago and they had a daughter a year old. There also survives the father, Wm. Brown, of Gettysburg, a brother Edward Brown of Union Mills, and three sisters, Mrs. Denton Yiking of Silver Run, Mrs. J. I. Burgoon and Miss Gertrude Brown of Gettysburg.

A reward of \$500 has been offered for the apprehension of the murderer one half by the Carroll county authorities and the other half by the Brown family.

When Suttler left he was dressed in a light suit of clothes, tan shoes and spotted cap and with his hair cropped short. He is 5 feet 11 inches tall and weighs 157 pounds.

Solomon Suttler was captured on Wednesday night in Cumberland by Assistant Chief of Police Clay Wilson of that city. At first he denied his identity but later admitted that he was the man wanted. The Carroll county authorities have taken him to the Baltimore City jail where he will likely be kept until the trial. He made a confession to the chief of police. It was as follows:

"I then dragged him through the field by myself."

(Signed) SOLOMON SUTTLE.

Witnesses: J. Thomas Eisenhauer, Clay Wilson, Isaac D. Boyd.

He was arrested while walking from one saloon to another. States Attorney Seabrook of Carroll county promises a speedy trial.

New Bench Holds First Court.

President Judge Donald P. McPherson and his associates, W. Howard Dicks and E. P. Miller, held their first session of court on Monday morning. Judge Dicks had been sworn in last Friday and Saturday afternoon. Judge McPherson and Judge Miller took the oath of office before Prothonotary Mehling in latter's office.

At the first session of the new Bench on Monday morning nearly all the attorneys, the retiring and new county officials and a number of other citizens were present. A large bouquet of roses and carnations was on the judges' bench. A the judges entered the audience arose and remained standing until the court was formally opened by the clerk.

Before taking up the business of the sessions President Judge McPherson addressed those present as follows:

"Before proceeding to the transaction of any business I wish to address, on behalf of the members of the Court, a few words to the members of the Bar now present and, through them, to those who may be absent."

"The grave responsibilities of the office we have just assumed and that a faithful and impartial performance of its duties should be our aim, are fully realized by us. We pledge you our best efforts to meet its responsibilities successfully and to perform its duties acceptably. Success in these efforts is our special desire and to that end we bespeak the hearty co-operation of the Bar. The Court has toward each member of the Bar a most kindly feeling and it will be our constant endeavor to treat with courtesy, consideration and impartiality each member of it. That you may reciprocate this kindly feeling and be prompted to extend to the office the courtesy and consideration due it, is the earnest wish of each of us."

"With such a mutual feeling of friendliness and regard, productive, as it always is, of good will and forbearance, we are confident that the transaction of the business before the Court will be accomplished in an orderly and expeditious manner to the advantage of you and us, your clients and the community at large."

"We wish each of you a happy and prosperous New Year and trust that our relations, official and personal, may continue those of mutual esteem and regard."

Exceptions were filed to the inquest awarded in estate of Chas. Weirick, in which it was alleged that Bert Myrick, the petitioner for the inquest, had no interest in the real estate.

The election of Elizabeth Spangler to accept provisions of the will of her deceased husband, W. W. Spangler, late of Tyrone township, were filed and ordered to be recorded.

The return of sale of real estate of Henry P. Barbehenn, late of Gettysburg to Kate Barbehenn, made by Lewis Barbehenn, Adm'r, was confirmed nisi to be confirmed absolute March 21st.

The account of the Citizens' Trust Company, guardian of Gertrude L. Spangler, minor child of Mary Spangler was confirmed and guardian discharged.

Citizens' Trust Company was appointed trustee of fund for use of Ida M. Hart in estate of Henry Hart, deceased.

Estelle B. Spangler was discharged as administratrix of Chas. J. Spangler, late of Mt. Joy township.

The sale of real estate made by L. E. Brown and H. T. Brown, executors of Anna M. Brown, late of Oxford township, was confirmed.

J. L. Hill, Esq., was appointed auditor to make distribution of fund in estate of J. C. Trimmer, deceased.

The widow's life under \$500 law in estate of Chas. H. Rummel, late of Butler township, was confirmed nisi to be confirmed absolute if there are no exceptions within 20 days.

In the execution process between W. H. Parr vs. Wm. T. Wolf four interpleaders were filed for property claimed by Sarah J. Rhodes, Savilla Deardorff, Jacob A. Denier, and Sadie A. Fair.

The Gettysburg Water Company asked for the appointment of viewers to appraise the land taken by the company from Wm. A. and Mary J. Bigham for its purposes and the Associate Judges appointed as viewers M. L. Power, of Littleton township, S. Miley Miller and C. W. Stoner, Esq., of Gettysburg and Jan. 18 was fixed for meeting of the viewers.

Louis Weigand was discharged as administrator of John Weyand, late of Gettysburg.

Harry L. Snyder was discharged as executor of Susan Lightner, late of Gettysburg.

Harry L. Snyder was discharged as trustee to sell the real estate of John C. Creager, late of Straban township.

Banquet for Employees.

The Fifth Annual Banquet of the Reaser Furniture Company in honor of its employees was held last Saturday evening in the dining hall at St. James' Church and one hundred and thirty-seven guests sat down to the very excellent menu served by

the ladies of the Mite Society and the ladies at the conclusion of the feast received a vote of thanks. The S. S. Orchestra furnished the music.

Judge Donald P. McPherson presided as toastmaster and Mr. C. S. Reaser who was compelled to be at home on account of the grip, sent a message delivered by Judge E. P. Miller. John D. Keith, Esq., responded to the toast, "The Compensation Act," and explained the new system that would go into effect Jan. 1, a system to give the employees better protection and that it invited the co-operation of the employee to eliminate every possible danger and risk.

Town Fathers Organize.

The Town Council organized on Tuesday evening for the year notwithstanding complications. Burgess Eicholtz presided. All members were present except Martin Winter who has not fully recovered from recent illness. The councilmen of the town are Dougherty, Funkhouser and Geiselman of the First Ward; Gilbert, Winter and Swift, of the Second Ward; J. W. McDonnell, Trostle and E. C. Tawney, of the Third Ward.

In organizing Dougherty, McDonnell and Funkhouser were placed in nomination for president of Council. The vote stood, Dougherty 4, McDonnell 4. In the event of a tie the Burgess casts a ballot and his vote was for McDonnell, but before the latter was declared elected Captain Gilbert objected to the ballot that E. C. Tawney had voted and was not yet qualified, having failed to file an expense account as required by law. Mr. Tawney admitted that he had neglected this qualification. The Act of 1906 declares that no person shall enter upon the duties of his office until he has filed such account. A second ballot resulted in 5 votes for Dougherty and 2 for Funkhouser.

C. B. Kitzmiller was unanimously re-elected Secretary.

Philip Bickle and Charles Swisher were nominated for Treasurer and vote stood, Bickle 5, Swisher 2.

Edward Newman for Street Commissioner, and Joseph Carver for Janitor were elected unanimously.

For policemen six names were placed in nomination: Horace E. Smiley, A. V. Weikert, John Shealer, John Fleishman, C. W. Culp and Norman Swartz. The first ballot resulted, Smiley 6, Weikert 3, Shealer 2, Culp 2, Swartz 1. Mr. Smiley was declared elected. Second ballot resulted, Weikert 5, Shealer 2, Smiley was named chief unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned to next Monday evening, and a motion prevailed making the regular meeting night of council the first Tuesday of each month.

After Monday evening's session Mr. Tawney filed his statement with the Clerk of the Courts, declaring election expenses of less than \$50, and he was then re-sworn by Burgess Eicholtz, as a member of the Council.

New Commissioners Organize.

On Monday the new Commissioners, Harry B. Slagle, Harry J. March and Edward C. Keefer met and organized by electing Mr. Slagle president and Mr. Keefer secretary.

The first business of the new board was the election of a clerk and while the field has been a large one for weeks, the naming of a clerk had narrowed to two, G. Allen Yohe, who had been defeated for prothonotary by two votes, and J. Harry Holtzworth. Mr. Yohe was elected the clerk and at once started upon his duties. He will be assisted for three months by the former clerk, George W. Baker, who will receive the customary salary of \$250 for the time. Joseph Gailbraith of the Third Ward was chosen Janitor of the Court House at \$750 per annum, and Dr. H. L. Diehl was selected as physician to the jail.

Alms House Appointments.

The new board of Poor Directors, P. P. Eisenhart, Clinton A. Rife and M. A. L. Trostle organized by electing P. P. Eisenhart president and the following appointments were made: H. A. Swoley Steward and Mrs. Swoley Matron; Dr. H. M. Hartman Physician; Harry Stambaugh Secretary; William Weaver Treasurer; C. E. Stable Attorney; Mr. and Mrs. John Meis day nurses; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Plank night nurses; Conrad Smith first teamster; Benjamin Stoops second teamster; James McGuigan Janitor; Elmer March keeper of the Old Men's Department, and Miss Maria Schwartz seamstress.

County Auditors.

County Auditors L. B. Slaybaugh, Robt. B. Myers and Geo. A. Aughinbaugh began their work on Monday and organized by electing Mr. Slaybaugh president and Mr. Aughinbaugh as secretary.

At a joint meeting of County Commissioners and County Auditors the percentage of the County Treasurer as 2 1/2 per cent. on the amount paid out was fixed as the Treasurer's salary, being the same as fixed in former years.

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DEATH OF EMINENT DIVINE

REV. DR. DAVID WILLS, A NATIVE OF MUMMASBURG.

Samuel Faber, One of the Oldest Citizens of Town Passed Away in His 90th Year.

Rev. Dr. David Wills died at his home in Washington, D. C., on Thursday at the great age of 93 years, 11 months and 23 days. He had the distinction of being one of the oldest men in the country who had served in the U. S. Army. He was a native of Adams county, having been born at Mummasburg and his affection for the county in which he first saw the light of day was cherished and seemed to grow with his years, and almost annual pilgrimages to Gettysburg and Mummasburg were made for many years. Dr. Wills was an eminent divine in the Presbyterian Church, and won distinction in his work. The family went from this county to Tennessee, and taking up the ministry he served churches in the Southern States and from 1870 to 1874 was president of Oglethorpe University. He was a chaplain in the Regular Army from 1870 to 1885. He leaves four sons and two daughters. He was a brother-in-law of the late Henry J. Brinkerhoff of Gettysburg.

Samuel Faber, one of the oldest citizens of Gettysburg, died last Saturday at his West Middle street home at the age of 89 years, 6 months and 19 days. He was a native of York county and moved to this place early in life, conducting stores at Table Rock, Two Taverns and White Hall. Forty-nine years ago he became a resident of Gettysburg, and for over 40 years conducted a cigar store and manufacturing plant in this place, retiring from business in 1911. He was a member of Trinity Reformed Church of Gettysburg, and of the Hanover Lodge of Odd Fellows, and was a life-long Democrat. The funeral was held on Tuesday, services by Dr. T. J. Barkler and Rev. D. M. Moser, and services at grave in Evergreen Cemetery were at his request in charge of the Odd Fellows. His wife died about 26 years ago and he leaves a daughter and two sons, Miss Emma L. Faber, Edgar S. Faber, and Geo. B. Faber, all of Gettysburg.

Jacob L. Toot, a life-long resident of Straban township, died at his home on last Saturday after an illness of nine months from cancer, aged 61 years, 9 months and 13 days. He was a son of the late Jacob and Maria Toot and born in Straban township, where he followed farming all his life. He was an active Democratic politician in his township and as such became well known throughout the county. He was a member of the Hunterstown Grange and of Salem United Brethren Church. The funeral was held on Tuesday with interment in the Evergreen Cemetery. He leaves a wife, who was Miss Mary Bucher of Straban township, and one daughter, Mrs. Howard Trostle of the same township. One brother and three sisters survive. William Toot of York, Mrs. George J. Groves, Miss Ella Toot of Gettysburg, and Miss David Eckert living on York pike, near town.

Rev. Upton A. L. E. Hankey, a Lutheran minister, pastor of a church at New Kensington, died on Monday in his 66th year. Death was due to long illness from cancer. He was a son of John Hankey of Chambersburg street. He was born in Freedom township and graduated from Gettysburg College in 1877 and from the Seminary here in 1881. He served a number of churches and has spent a number of years at New Kensington. He married Miss Hannah Gettler, a daughter of Stephen Gettler, of this county, who survives, also his father and three sisters, Mrs. John Duttorow, Mrs. Vincent Garlick of Hanover, and Mrs. Annie King of Mt. Joy township. The body was brought to Gettysburg on Wednesday and funeral held same day, services by Dr. J. A. Chutz, and interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

Rev. Clifton G. White, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Millersburg, died last Saturday from a cancerous growth, aged 38 years. He was a native of Lancaster county, graduated from Gettysburg College in 1897, and from the Seminary here in 1900. He spent nine years as pastor of the Chambersburg Trinity Lutheran Church and in two went to the Millersburg charge. He had been very successful in his pastorates. He was a popular athlete while in college here and was fond of outdoor sports. He leaves a wife, three brothers and a sister, one of his brothers being Uriah G. White, who graduated from college in 1907.

Vincent Pius Little, Burgess of McSherrystown, and one of the town's best known citizens, died on last Friday. He was walking along the street, when stricken with paralysis and being carried to his home never recovered consciousness. He was in his 63rd year. He was a son of Anthony and Maria Little and thrice married, first to Miss Mary Storm, who died in 1888, then to Miss Emma Weaver, who died eight years ago. Six years ago he married Miss Margaret O'Farrell, who survives, also two daughters and one son, Mrs. Frank Lawrence and George Little.

of McSherrystown, Mrs. Pius Topper of Philadelphia. Two brothers and three sisters survive, John and Jacob Little, Mrs. Agnes Fink, Mrs. Emma Dumm, Mrs. Alice Miller, Mrs. A. J. Brady and Miss Clara Little of McSherrystown, and Mrs. Levi Lawrence of Mt. Rich. He had been Burgess of the town for the past two years. Previously he had served terms in the town council. He was the treasurer of St. Mary's Beneficial Society, a member of the McSherrystown Fire Company, and a member of the St. Vincent De Paul Society. For many years he had charge of St. Mary's parish picnic. The funeral was held from St. Mary's Church on Monday, with requiem high mass by Rev. Fr. Reudter, interment in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Charles K. Orndorff died on last Friday in Hanover in his 76th year. He was a son of the late Peter and Susan Orndorff of near Hampton, Adams county. He was a veteran of the Civil War in Co. G, 105th Pennsylvania, and Co. G, 7th Regt. He married Miss Catherine Weller who died 18 years ago. Since the death of his wife he has been living with his daughter in Hanover. The funeral was on Monday. He leaves the following children: Miss Mary Catherine Orndorff of Hanover; Vincent P. Orndorff of Berneville; Francis A. Orndorff and Mrs. Charles Carr of Hanover, and Charles E. Orndorff of York.

H. Albert Fissel of Tyrone township, died from dropsy in his 54th year. He followed farming and carpentering during his life and was a member of the Upper Meridian Church. The funeral was held on Tuesday, services and interment at the church to which he belonged. He leaves his mother, Mrs. Jesse Fissel, his wife, two daughters and two sons, Mrs. Isaiah Deam and Mrs. Edward Hoffman of Gardeners Station; Elmer Fissel and Charles Fissel at home. He also leaves a sister, Mrs. S. L. Topper of Aspers, and a brother, J. H. Fissel, of Harrisburg.

Mrs. Magdalena Goodenberger, wife of Jacob Goodenberger, a former Director of the Poor of the county, died at her home in Berwick township, on last Friday, aged 70 years, 2 months and 28 days. Death was due to cancer. She was born in the house in which she died. She was well known and was a life-long member of the Lutheran Church at Abbottstown. The funeral was held on Tuesday with interment in the Lutheran Cemetery at Abbottstown. She leaves besides her husband two daughters and a son, Mrs. Margaret Bortner, Mrs. Emma Berkeimer of York, and Lewis Goodenberger of Thomasville. She leaves three sisters, Mrs. George Wikinsin, Mrs. Mary Nagle and Mrs. George Moul, all of near Abbottstown.

Francis M. Timmins died suddenly at his home in Baltimore on paralysis on Monday aged 68 years. He was a native of this county and served a term as Clerk of the Courts of the county. He took up the plumbing business afterwards, followed it here for several years and moved to Baltimore to years ago. He had been employed in a bicycle establishment in the city recently. The funeral was in Baltimore on Monday. He leaves a wife and four sons, Guy and Merle Timmins of Baltimore, Charles Timmins of York, and Chas. Timmins of Gettysburg.

Mrs. Mary C. Stoner, wife of Chas. Stoner, died at her home near Selts Station on last Sunday in her 68th year. She was born near Westminster and married Chas. B. Stoner 37 years ago. Being at her last home 33 years. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of McSherrystown. She leaves besides her husband and four children, S. Brooks Stoner of Mulley Creek Forks, Pa.; Mrs. L. Emory Hostetter of Littlestown; Wm. F. Stoner of near Hanover, and Mrs. Carl G. Greenlee at home.

Mrs. Adam Lupp of Menallen township died on last Friday in her 81st year. The funeral was held on Monday, interment at Arendtsville. She leaves these children: Reuben Lupp of Bryansport; Mrs. David Nary of Arendtsville; Amos S. Lupp of Carlisle; Mrs. Henry Hess of Gettysburg; Oscar Lupp of Gettysburg; Mrs. Wilbur Cook of Flora Dale; Mrs. Geo. Lupp of Menallen township; Mrs. A. S. Minter of near Bryansport. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. John Nagle of Carlisle.

Mrs. Mary Ann Deardorff, wife of Anthony Deardorff of Mummasburg, died last Saturday from paralysis, after a ten weeks' illness, aged 58 years, 6 months and 16 days. The funeral was held on Tuesday, interment in Arendtsville Cemetery. She leaves besides her husband the following children: Harvey A. Deardorff of Elizabeth, N. J.; Mrs. Myrtle V. Stransbaugh of New Oxford; Mrs. Clara V. Hartman, Mrs. Lena V. Cullison, and Luther L. Deardorff of Mummasburg; Mrs. Alora A. Allison and Misses Anna M., Katie E., Bernadetta C. and Sadie I. Deardorff at home. She is survived by these brothers and sisters, Wesley Wolf, of Hanover; Amos Wolf of Mummasburg; Mrs. Susan A. Sutter of Jennings, Louisiana, and Mrs. Sarah Glicker of Emmitsburg.

Mrs. Isaac Lawer of Orrtanna, died on Monday from cancer aged 72 years, 7 months and 23 days. The funeral was held on Thursday with

PERSONAL POINTS OF VIEW

COMINGS AND GOINGS INTO AND OUT OF THE TOWN.

Social and Other Individual Happenings and Other Local Items of Interest.

Miss Hannah Boyle has returned to her home on West High street after spending the holidays with relatives in Hazleton.

Miss Gail Greenwalt of Chambersburg is visiting her sister, Mrs. John W. Brehm, on Broadway.

Miss Caroline Bream, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bream, Seminary Ridge, left on Tuesday for New York where she will join the Senior Concert Company of which she has been a member for some time.

Miss Vergie Musser of East Middle street spent New Year's Day and Sunday visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Samuel Hershey and son Raymond, have returned to their home in Greensburg after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Hershey on York street.

Mrs. Howard Stauffer and son, of North Washington street, visited at the home of Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Diehl in Hanover over Sunday.

Miss Cunningham has returned to Philadelphia after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Paxton Biggs, Carlisle street.

Adolph Dangler of New York was the guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Eckert, Springs avenue.

Miss Eleanor Lininger of Carlisle was a recent visitor at the home of Miss Margaret Williams, Water street.

Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Glenn, West High street, have returned from a visit with relatives in Baltimore.

Mrs. Harry Lightner of Arcanum, Ohio, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Lightner, Baltimore street.

Mrs. S. Miley Miller, Baltimore street, visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Edgar A. Miller in East Berlin, this week.

Roy Hartman of Springfield, Mass., has returned to his home after a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartman, Hanover street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Pfeiffer and Arthur Edmondson of Baltimore were the guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Miller, East Middle street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Deininger have returned to Watsonstown, Pa., after spending two weeks with relatives in town.

Mrs. Phelps and daughter Miss Betty Phelps have gone to their home in Toronto, Can., after spending several months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Huber, Carlisle street.

Miss Ruth Annan of Beloit, Kan., who spent the past year with her sister Mrs. Charles H. Huber, Carlisle street, left on Thursday for Chicago where she will visit friends before returning to her home.

Miss Gertrude Doersom has returned to Charlottesville, Va., after spending the holidays with her sister, Miss Anna Doersom.

Miss Margaret Cooper, Seminary Ridge, has been appointed a substitute teacher for the grade schools of York and will assume her new duties on Monday.

Miss Sadie Hoffman of York street was the guest of friends in Hanover on Wednesday.

Mrs. Milton R. Rummel and Miss Margaret Smiley enjoyed a pedestrian trip to East Berlin on Thursday.

Mrs. Esther Tipton of Philadelphia is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Tipton.

Mrs. U. F. White of Salisbury, Md., is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Tipton, West Middle street.

Mrs. Rebecca Martin of Lancaster is visiting Mrs. Eliza Swisher at her home on West Middle street.

O. Myers and H. T. Staring of town have been granted a patent on their invention for an improvement for auto locks.

Miss Eleanor Kallfleisch has returned to her home in New York city after a visit with her sisters the Misses Kallfleisch, North Washington street.

J. H. Ashworth has been elected superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School, to succeed the late Prof. W. A. Burgoon.

P. P. Eisenhart, president of the new Board of Poor Directors for the county, entertained the members of the board and employees of the county County Home at an oyster-supper held at that institution on Monday evening.

W. E. Olinger and J. B. Wineman are making preparations to open a farm implement store in the building of Jere Plank in the alley off Carlisle street.

Mrs. Norman Wolf has returned to her home at Stony Creek after visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tawney, West Middle street.

Dr. Walter H. O'Neal is visiting his son Dr. Alex. O'Neal in Wayne, Pa. for several days prior to going to Florida where he will spend several weeks.

J. A. Smith and Miss Katie Smith, York street, visited friends at Reading and Lebanon this week.

A Cure That Failed.

Samuel L. Clemens used to relate on the lecture platform a comedy of coarseness that might well have served to illustrate his dictum that there are three kinds of funny stories—the witty story, which is French; the comic story, which is English; and the humorous story, which is American—and that the latter is the only hard kind to tell. He recounted how a young man was rejected simply because of his embarrassing impediment of speech, and how a friend counseled his taking the whistling cure—whenever he felt a disposition to stutter just whistle. He tried it, and with such surprising success that in a very few weeks he sought his lady to announce his complete recovery. Unfortunately the excitement of the occasion proved too much, and those who have heard Mark Twain will recall how he would stand trembling on the platform, earnestly strutting out of one side of his mouth and conscientiously whistling out of the other, until his audience fairly groveled in mirth.—Washington Star.

Husks of the Prodigal Son.

It appears that the "husks" (silique in Latin) which were fed to swine in the east and to which the prodigal son was finally reduced were nothing more nor less than the large, podlike fruit of the carob tree, whose botanical name is Ceratonia siliqua. This plant pertains to the pea family, and the husks are sometimes nearly a foot in length. These husks contain very hard seeds resembling beans, which may be eaten with relish, although one would soon tire of them as a sole article of diet. Occasionally these husks are to be found in England and this country in confectioners' shops, where they are known as "St. John's bread." In the east in the old days the plant was regarded with disfavor, not because it was thought to be unpalatable, but because of its association with swine. Together with the acorns of a species of oak called Quercus aegilops, it served as the principal food of pigs and hogs.—Every Week.

Ape the Three Monkeys.

In Japan almost every house has a statue of three monkeys. The hands of one are over his eyes, those of another are over his ears, and those of the third are over his mouth. See no evil, hear no evil, speak no evil, is the interpretation of them.

There are great men in the world, but there are few great men who talk much. When they do talk they do not utter idle words, hence little evil creeps into their speech. There are loved men in the world, generous and pitying, but they have no time to listen to gossip and evil communications. There are other men who see evil, not through morbid curiosity, but with an eye to its correction; nor do they impute evil and view with suspicion all human actions except their own.

Evil communications, seeing evil, hearing evil, speaking evil, corrupt humanity. There are many who can afford to ape the three monkeys.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Tall Hats of the Past.

In spite of statements made to the contrary, tall hats were invented long before 1813. A Mr. Toft of Tottenham, who died in 1767, left £50 to the governors of the Tottenham free grammar school, the interest of which was to be devoted to the purchase of three tall hats as prizes for the three best boys. The hats used to be purchased from a hatter in Bishopsgate street named "Greenway" for 24 shillings. But in 1811 he informed the governor that a duty of 1 shilling each had been imposed and the cost raised to 27 shillings. The duty was again raised to 2 shillings each and in 1812 to 2s. 6d. The duty was afterward repealed, but by that time the governors were purchasing Bibles instead of hats for the boys.—Fall Mall Gazette.

His Qualifications.

"So," said the old general, "you think you would make a good valet for an old wreck like me, do you? I have a glass eye, a wooden leg and a wax arm that need looking after, not to mention false teeth, etc."

"Oh, that's all right, general," replied the applicant enthusiastically, "I've had lots of experience. I worked six years in the assembling department of an automobile factory."—Ladies' Home Journal.

What We All Think.

"I'm glad to know that you liked my sermon," said the minister to an enthusiastic member of his flock.

"Indeed I did. It was so true and so to the point. I wish a neighbor of mine could have heard it. I know it was intended just for him."—Detroit Free Press.

Assuming Responsibility.

"This poem of mine," declared the poet proudly, "is strictly and entirely original."

"It is kind of you to say that," said the editor, "it relieves somebody else from a great responsibility."—Somerville Journal.

Gashed.

First Chauffeur—Who was that fellow you ran over? Second Ditto—I guess it must've been the glass eater at the redville theater. Look at that knee.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Disgraced.

Wearily Willie—Meandering Mike worked a hull day last week. Dusty Rhoads—Yep. Ain't it awful what some people do for money?—Philadelphia Ledger.

What punishes a lie almost immediately is the necessity of defending it by other lies.—Emile Augier.

Old Paper Notes.

Emanuel King, of near New Oxford, has in his possession a 5c paper note dated July 11, 1890; a 10c paper note dated March 3, 1893; and a 25c note dated 1874. The 25c note bears a print of Ralph Walker, and each has the signature of "T. E. Spinner, Treasurer" on the face. Mr. King came across the old money, one day recently, after having laid it away many years ago. In bygone days 5c, 10c, and 25c paper notes were common currency, but they are rarely seen nowadays, even as keepsakes. Mr. King prizes his paper notes very highly.

Nine Hundred Million Dollars Saved.

The most convincing reply to the anti-prohibitionist's revenue argument comes from Petrograd. In a statement to the finance committee of the duma Minister Barck pointed out that while, as was expected, the national revenue had decreased \$900,000,000 during the past year because of the suppression of the sale of vodka, the reports of the Russian savings banks up to July 1 showed increase of deposits of about the same amount. He seeks authorization, so the dispatch says, to issue state securities amounting to \$600,000,000 beyond the sum at present allowed. By its sweeping prohibition edict, Russia loses nothing financially and gains immeasurably in the efficiency of her citizenship.

How Many Years Left?

If you want to know how many more years you are likely to live—according to the law of average, that is—study the following formula: Take the figure 80. Deduct your present age. Two-thirds of the result will equal the number of years you have to look forward to.

Let us suppose, for example, that you are 26. Take 26 from 80 and you have 54. Two-thirds of 54 equals 36, which is the answer.

Of course this formula is only approximate. It makes no allowance for people who are already over 80—and a man of 80 has still five years to his credit—nor does it differentiate between the sexes, but in comparing its results with the actual figures which have been worked out by statisticians it is very near the mark in all the ages between 10 and 70, though the ladies may take an additional couple of years, their expectation of life averaging two years more than that of men.—London Answers.

Moon Signs.

The moon plays an important part in sign telling. I know several old ladies who regulate all their household affairs, and even the conduct of life, by this luminary. All kinds of weather hang upon the changes of the moon. As a matter of fact, you and I rather like to see the new moon over the right shoulder. To be sure, we have no faith in the baneful influence of this sign. Still, it is just as well to be cautious about offending her ladyship. Farmers study the shape of the new moon to determine if the month is to be wet or dry. The Indians used to say that if you could hang a powder horn upon the curve of the new moon the month would be generally pleasant. A circle about the moon means a storm approaching. The number of stars within the circle tell the number of days which will elapse before the storm begins. Farmers tell about planting corn in the old of the moon.—Margaret Woodward in Countryside Magazine.

Reforming a King.

King Victor Emmanuel of Italy is extremely democratic, and it was the remark of a workman that first led him to be so. Formerly he was very reserved and was not often to be found mixing among his people. One day, however, he granted a private audience to a prominent workman. His majesty discussed many subjects with his guest, including the latter's work in a glass factory.

At last the king hinted that he might visit the factory himself one day, to which the workman replied:

"Your people have been a very long time without seeing your face, sire—except on stamps."

The king did not say anything at the time, but he thought the man's words over very carefully, and henceforth no Italians had cause for complaint that his majesty kept himself aloof from them in the seclusion of his palace.

Swiss Have Mercantile Navy.

Long before Germany was to be reckoned with as a sea power Switzerland possessed a fleet equipped for warfare. Eight hundred years ago on all the larger Swiss lakes armed galleys were maintained by the rival cantons. Skilled shipwrights had to be imported from Geneva for the construction of these vessels, some of which carried crews of 500 men. The largest Swiss flotilla was maintained on the lake of Geneva when the inhabitants of Geneva were at war with Savoy. Since the neutrality of Switzerland has been guaranteed by the powers there has been no need for warships on the lakes. The Swiss, however, possess a mercantile navy, which carries a considerable amount of trade over the 342 miles of navigable waterways in the republic.—London Spectator.

What She Had She'd Hold.

It was the happiest moment of their lives. He had just proposed, and she had grabbed—er—accepted him.

Then he took a tiny leather case from his pocket and slipped a sparkling circlet on her finger, while she beamed with pride.

"I'm afraid it's rather loose, darling," he murmured. "Shall I take it back and have it made smaller?"

The damsel shook her head decidedly.

"No, Rupert," she said calmly. "An engagement ring is an engagement ring, even if I have to wear it around my neck."—London Telegraph.

The Value of Bats.

State Zoologist H. A. Surface, Harrisburg, calls attention to the value of bats as insect destroyers. He says, "In these days when insect pests are so destructive to crops, it is necessary to make a study of all agencies that contribute to their suppression, and to do all that is possible toward the preservation of each of these important factors working for the preservation of the property of mankind."

The bird study movement is excellent. The economic value of birds has been both an excuse and a justification for efforts at their preservation and increase, and these efforts are giving gratifying results in all parts of the State. However, if the birds are worthy of being preserved because of their economic value, why should not the other creatures be preserved that have the same kind of value? For example, it has been shown that some species of our native serpents, turtles, salamanders, lizards, frogs, toads and other creatures, are very decidedly beneficial, because of their readiness to feed on destructive insects and other objectionable organisms. The facts concerning the economic work and life habits of these creatures have been published in detail in the free Bi-Monthly Bulletins of the office of the Economic Zoologist, of the Department of Agriculture, Harrisburg, and it now remains for the public to utilize the facts set forth with such care and precision.

However, the utility of bats, as insect destroyers, has not heretofore been decidedly emphasized. One reason for this is that the bats have such fine teeth that they chew or grind their food so that it is specifically undeterminable, and only in a general way can it be said upon what they feed; yet it is now well known that the species of bats that live in Pennsylvania are practically wholly insectivorous, and that nine-tenths of their food consists of moths. The other one-tenth is composed chiefly of beetles, but also comprises other insects.

Moths, which constitute by far the greater part of the food of bats, are in their larval stage known as caterpillars. It is in this stage that they are very destructive, chiefly to vegetation, and, therefore, bats are to be recognized as among the important agencies in conserving property by protecting vegetation from insects that would increase to a much greater extent without the aid of the bats in suppressing them. The moths themselves in their winged stage are, as a rule, innocuous, but as soon as they lay eggs, and from these hatch caterpillars, their work of destruction begins. Moths are conspicuous nocturnal insects, and it is not surprising that creatures like the bats, which fly and feed mostly at night, should devote most of their attention to destruction of insects that are active at the same time. It is interesting to know that investigations have proven that bats have not been important agencies in the suppression of mosquitoes, as was at one time suggested.

Lincoln Highway Loop.

The route of the Baltimore-Washington loop of the Lincoln Memorial Highway, which will connect New York and San Francisco in a coast to coast good roads system, has been selected.

The route is composed of completed sections of Maryland's State road system and is the shortest that could have been picked. The entire route in Maryland from the Delaware State line through Baltimore and Washington to the Pennsylvania State line is ready for travel and all that is necessary to complete is to post the "markers," telling the traveler that he is on the Lincoln Highway.

After leaving Wilmington and crossing the State line into Maryland, the route runs to Elkton, to Havre de Grace, to Belair into Baltimore. Upon leaving Baltimore, the boulevard is followed to Washington. Out of Washington the old Union turnpike is taken to Norbeck, thence to Rockville, Gaithersburg, Ridgeville, Frederick, Emmitsburg, Thurmont on the Pennsylvania State line. From Thurmont to the Gettysburg Battlefield Park, where the main line is tapped, there is a gap of about five miles of incomplete road, which the Pennsylvania State authorities have promised to put into shape for the Lincoln Highway travel.

The sign to be placed at Philadelphia will read: "Lincoln Highway Feeder to Wilmington, Baltimore and \$300,000 Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D. C. to Lincoln Highway Main Line."

Signs on the Philadelphia-Baltimore-Washington line, going north, are to read: "Lincoln Highway Feeder to Baltimore, Wilmington, Chester and Lincoln Highway at Philadelphia."

The signs between Washington and Gettysburg are to read: "Lincoln Highway Feeder to Frederick and Main Line of Lincoln Highway at Gettysburg."

Those along the same route, going south, are to read: "Lincoln Highway Feeder to Frederick and \$300,000 Lincoln Memorial at Washington, D. C."

Charles J. Groves, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Groves of New Oxford, recently manager of the Anderson Drug Company of Pittsburgh, has resigned that position and has accepted a position in Nicaragua, where he had been manager of a large mining concern several years ago.

Paul Hamilton of York Springs received a painfully sprained ankle one day recently when he attempted to catch the Table Rock Mill team which was running away. However, the horses ran the tongue of the wagon against a telephone pole and saved the wagon from being demolished.

A Medicine Chest for 25 Cents.

In this chest you have an excellent remedy for toothache, Bruises, Sprains, Still Neck, Backache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism and for most emergencies. One 25c bottle of Sloan's Liniment does it all—this because these ailments are symptoms, not diseases, and are caused by congestion and inflammation. If you doubt, ask those who use Sloan's Liniment, or, better still, buy a 25c. bottle and prove it. All Druggists.

Advertisement.

A small bridge on the York pike near Abbottstown was washed away during a heavy storm last Thursday. The main bridge was being repaired and this small temporary structure had been erected.

Recommends Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy.

"I never hesitate to recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Sol Williams, merchant, Jesse, Tenn. "I sell more of it than of any other preparations of like character. I have used it myself and found it gave me more relief than anything else I have ever tried for the same purpose." Obtainable everywhere.

Advertisement.

There will be a shortage of dolls in the United States due to the fact that most of the toy babies, come from the land where war is at present the chief occupation. Dealers expect to have trouble in securing a supply for the holiday trade.

What Is Best for Indigestion.

Mr. A. Robinson of Drumquinn, Ontario, has been troubled for years with indigestion, and recommends Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets as "the best medicine I ever used." "I troubled with indigestion or constipation give them a trial. They are certain to prove beneficial. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at The Peoples Drug Store."

Lightning struck the home of H. N. Bream along the pike near Mt. Victory Church, near York Springs, and tore off a section of the roof and a lot of plaster. A daughter of Mr. Bream was in the cellar getting some provisions for supper when the bolt went through the house into cellar and she was considerably stunned.

The Clerk Guaranteed It.

"A customer came into my store the other day and said to one of my clerks, 'have you anything that will cure diarrhoea?' and my clerk went and got him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and said to him, 'if this does not cure you, I will not charge you a cent for it.' So he took it home and came back in a day or two and said he was cured," writes J. H. Berry & Co., Salt Creek, Va. Obtainable everywhere.

Advertisement.

Roger G. Heimer, son of Dr. P. E. Heimer of Thurmont, and former pastor of Reformed Church at New Oxford, has received an appointment as a cadet in the United States Coast Guard Service. He has gone to New London, Conn., for a three year course in preparation for the service.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

FOR RHEUMATISM, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Advertisement.

An orchestra has been founded at East Berlin with eight members. Aaron Siegrist is the instructor.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Pletcher*

Advertisement.

William Moore and his son James, of Buchanan Valley, have killed four rattlesnakes so far this summer. The last one had nine rattles and was forty-five inches long.

For a Sprained Ankle.

If you will get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and observe the directions given therewith faithfully, you will recover in much less time than is usually required. Obtainable everywhere.

Advertisement.

Esther M. Stock of Hamilton township has been elected to teach Five Points school, Tyrone township, and Floyd E. Wolf of Abbottstown, to the Conewago Independent school, Conewago township.

Despondency Due to Indigestion.

"About three months ago when I was suffering from indigestion which caused headache and dizzy spells and made me feel tired and despondent, I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Mrs. Geo. Hou. Macdon, N.Y. "This medicine proved to be the very thing I needed, as one day's treatment relieved me greatly. I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and they did me of this trouble." Obtainable everywhere.

Advertisement.

While operating a circular saw at the home of his father, ex-Coway Commissioner Alex. Robert, of near White Hall, Harry Robert had the misfortune to cut his arm very badly.

Hot weather. Little clothing. Plenty of water inside and out. Dr. Fahrney's Febrile Syrup. Babies don't get sick.

Advertisement.

William, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Feiser, of East Berlin, who has been partially blind and his eyesight impaired for almost a year, is much improved and he is now able to go about town without a guide.

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For Infants and Children.

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\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Advertisement.

After having been accustomed to walking with the aid of a cane since breaking her leg about a year ago, Mrs. Henry Raffensperger of Hampton attempted to walk without it and fell heavily to the floor breaking her arm and dislocating her shoulder.

Constipation Causes Most Ills.

Accumulated waste in your thirty feet of bowels causes absorption of poisons, tends to produce fevers, upsets digestion. You belch gas, feel stuffy, irritable, almost cranky. It isn't you—it's your condition. Eliminate this poisonous waste by taking one or two Dr. King's New Life Pills tonight. Enjoy a full, free bowel movement in the morning—you feel so grateful. Get an original bottle, containing 86 pills, from your Druggist today for 25c.

Advertisement.

Civil service men are trying to apprehend a crank in York who has been annoying President Wilson by sending him letters and telegrams on the subject of neutrality.

Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Pletcher*

The Chambersburg suffrage organization has secured Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the National Suffrage Association, to make an address there on September 3.

Granulated Sore Eyes Cured.

"For twenty years I suffered from a bad case of granulated sore eyes, says Martin Boyd of Henrietta, Ky. "In February, 1908, a gentleman asked me to try Chamberlain's Salve. I bought one box and used about two-thirds of it and my eyes have not given me any trouble since." This salve is for sale by The Peoples Drug Store.

Advertisement.

In a bulletin issued Tuesday, Prof. Surface, the State Zoologist, declares that spraying fruit trees does not kill birds and that it has been well established by scientific observations in orchards not only in this State but in Massachusetts and elsewhere that the birds are not harmed by sprays employed to keep down pests.

ITCHING, bleeding, protruding or blind piles have yielded to Doan's Ointment. 50c at all stores.

The first steps toward the sale of the Cumberland Valley Telephone were taken at Harrisburg when an application was made for an order of sale of the company's properties under the \$1,500,000 mortgage.

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Worms Cause Many Children's Ills.

Worms, by thousands, rob the child of nourishment, stunt its growth, cause Constipation, Indigestion, Nervousness, Irregular Appetite, Fever and sometimes Spasms. Kickapoo Worm Killer gives relief from all these. One-fourth to one of these pleasant candy lozenges, taken as directed, kill and remove the Worms, regulate your child's bowels and restore its health and vitality. Get an original 25c box from your Druggist. Don't endanger your child's health and future when so sure and simple a remedy can be had.

Advertisement.

About 50 members of the M. E. charge of Orrtanna, Fairfield, Fountaindale and Iron Springs, met at the home of their pastor, Rev. F. W. Godwin and presented him with a generous donation of groceries, vegetables, fruits and a lot of fine chickens on last Tuesday evening.

DYSPEPSIA is America's curse. To restore digestion, normal weight, good health and purify the blood, use Burdock Blood Bitters. Sold at all drug stores. Price, \$1.00.

Hanover and Gettysburg Bus Line

TIME TABLE

IN EFFECT MAY 23rd, 1915.

Subject to change without notice.

WEEK DAYS ONLY.

Leave Hanover	6:50 a.m.	and 1:00 p.m.
Leave Abbottstown	7:25 " "	and 1:30 " "
Leave New Oxford	7:55 " "	and 1:45 " "
Leave Gettysburg	8:30 a.m.	and 3:00 p.m.
Leave New Oxford	9:00 " "	and 3:30 " "
Leave Abbottstown	9:15 " "	and 3:45 " "

SUNDAY

Leave Hanover	9:00 a.m.	and 1:00 p.m.
Leave Abbottstown	9:30 " "	and 1:30 " "
Leave New Oxford	9:45 " "	and 1:45 " "
Leave Gettysburg	9:30 " "	and 4:30 p.m.
Leave New Oxford	10:00 " "	and 5:00 " "
Leave Abbottstown	10:15 " "	and 5:15 " "

Cars stop on rural at any place along the line. Cars connect with trolley line at Hanover for York and Littlestown.

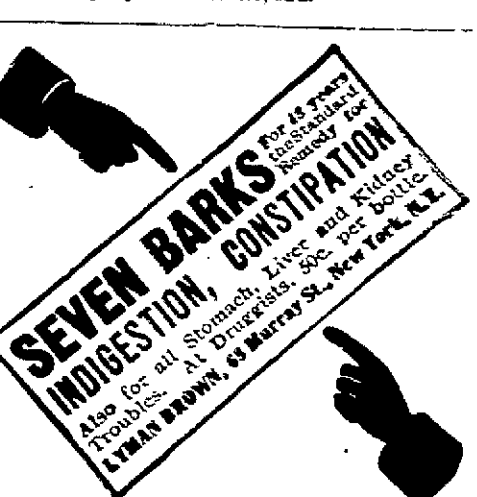
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419 Frederick St.

Kills Pesky Bed Bugs

P. D. Q.

A 25c. box of P. D. Q. makes a full quart of the strongest bug killer on earth. The new chemical, P. D. Q. Pesky Devil's Quinine—puts the bed bugs, roaches, ants and fleas. Pesky bed-bugs can't exist where P. D. Q. is used, as it leaves a coating on their eggs and prevents hatching. A box of P. D. Q. goes farther than a barrel of old-fashioned bug killer. P. D. Q. will not rot or stain clothing, kill's fleas on dogs. Sold by Druggists, or mailed upon receipt of 25c. by the O. C. Company, Terre Haute, Ind.



SAVED BY A POSTAL

Thousands Have Been Cured by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy—

5 Lives Saved by a Postal Card.

Crossing of the Bar.
(Continued from page 1.)

wife, formerly Miss Annie E. Moul, his mother, Mrs. Marie Babb, of East Berlin; two sisters, Mrs. Emily Omer of Arendtsville, and Miss Rosie Babb of York. He was a member of Noble Commandery No. 300, Knights of Malta, of York. He was also nationally affiliated with the Order of the Red Men and the Odd Fellows of Washington D. C. and Beneficial Association No. 4, P. A. W. of York.

Lester Cress, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cress of Littlestown died on Monday aged 3 years and 10 months. The funeral was held at the Littlestown cemetery.

John W. Eckenrode, a native of Adams county and engaged in the mercantile business in Gettysburg, died last Saturday. He was a near relative of the late Aloysius Eckenrode who resided early part of his life in Adams county. He was a member of the Lancaster lodge. The funeral was held on Thursday. He leaves a wife and three sons. Two sons survive, Mrs. Rindland of near York Springs and Mrs. Joseph Smith of York.

Mrs. Margaret Kopp, wife of Postmaster W. L. Kopp of Linchboro died on last Saturday in the 50th year. She died in a Baltimore sanitarium following an operation. She leaves besides her husband a son, Prof. C. L. Kopp, a graduate of Gettysburg College, and four daughters. A sister and two brothers survive. Miss Mary Stough, daughter of Cornelius Stough of New Oxford.

Carl E. Erb died on Christmas at Elmira, Iowa, aged 71 years. He was a native of Westminster and had been a traveling salesman. His health failing he went West. He leaves a wife, his mother and a sister. The funeral was held at the Church of Gettysburg.

PERSONALS.

—W. A. Taughnbaugh and Miss Mirerva Taughnbaugh, York street, are spending several days with friends in York.

—Miss Mary McIlhenny has returned to Richmond, Va., after spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John K. McIlhenny, E. Middle street.

—Dr. and Mrs. Luther Kuhlman have returned from a visit with friends at New Bloomfield, Pa.

—J. Francis Stallsmith has bought from Peckman and Ferney the National Taxi line and will continue to operate it from the National Garage.

—William Eckenrode has purchased from 'Jackie' Tawney his drayage business from the Reading Freight Station with the entire equipment. Mr. Tawney has conducted this business most successfully for over twenty years and was obliged to give up the work at this time on account of his health.

Property Sales.

The farm of the late Rev. D. Z. Foulk, in Huntington township, was sold at public sale to Norval Foulk for \$2500.

W. D. C. Marshall of Hamiltonban township has bought the property of Mary Boyd in Fairfield for \$1300.

The property of the late Mrs. Matilda Hoffman in Fairfield has been sold to Marv J. Sanders of same place for \$275.

STRABAN TWP. ROAD ACCT.

Annual statement of the Board of Supervisors of Straban township, Adams county, Pa., for the year ending Dec. 6, 1915. Wm. D. Myers, treasurer.

RECEIPTS

Bal. in Twp. Treas. from preceding year	\$511.67
Taxes received on duplicates 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913	218.07
Taxes received on duplicates 1914	1145.00
Taxes received on duplicates 1915	2257.06
Am't received from State as cash tax bonds	711.43
Am't. received from liquor licenses	60.00
Am't. received from other sources	25.00
Total receipts	\$4958.23

EXPENDITURES.

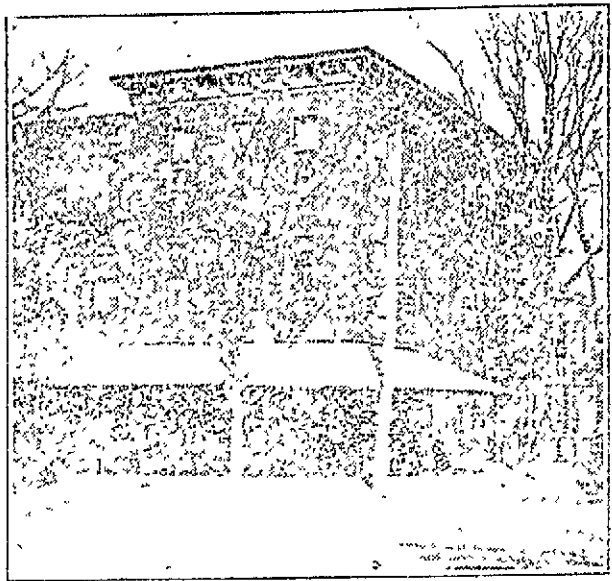
Repairs or maintenance of earth roads	\$1124.15
Permanent culverts, bridges, etc.	296.04
Repairs of tools and machinery	12.05
Wages of road men	43.55
Compensation to Sec. and Treas.	1.00
Compensation to Tax Collector	20.81
Compensation to Surveyor	20.00
Expenses of meetings	7.00
Expenses of attending to business	71.39
Expenses of mail	10.00
Expenses of fuel	202.33
Expenses of water	10.00
Expenses of other	20.00
Collect repairs	20.87
Total	\$2689.15

Bal. in Treas. Dec. 31, 1915	\$29.08
Total	\$103.92
Outstanding taxes, 1914	570.77
Outstanding taxes, 1915	1534.71
Total	\$3304.60
Balance from W. D. Marshall	1209.54

We, the undersigned, auditors of Straban township, have examined the above accounts and find them correct.

S. CASHMAN
J. M. REINECKER
R. S. SPONSELLER
Auditors.

Eckert's Store



"ON THE SQUARE"

With A
HAPPY NEW YEAR

Watch For
Mid-Winter Sale Announcement



WE HAVE been thinking of you this Holiday Season and we send you Our Best Wishes for the New Year. We feel that you have been thinking of us, our sales of the past year prove it. Come whenever you can and see our large and attractive store of Dry Goods, Coats, Furs and Notions.

Dougherty & Cartley
Gettysburg, Pa.

REMEMBER

You Have Our Best Wishes For

A Happy New Year

AND REMEMBER

WE HAVE

FIRST CLASS STOCK AND GOOD

SERVICE FOR OUR CUSTOMERS

OF

FRESH GROCERIES

QUEENSWARE

PAINTS and OILS

HARDWARE

AND BEST FARM MACHINERY

GETTYSBURG DEPT. STORE

Baltimore St. Gettysburg, Pa.

G. W. WEAVER & Son

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THE LEADERS

Dry Goods Department Store

We come to the New year amid holiday cheer, and our best wishes go out to our hosts of patrons and friends for the Happiest kind of a

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Don't you know that we will be thinking of you---not for a day---but for three hundred and sixty-six days of the New Year---its Leap Year and we will be thinking of you even on the extra day.

The burden of our thoughts will be to anticipate your DRY GOODS wants and make ready for these wants by purchases of stock for your welfare and your homes. Our daily life will have much of you in view. We will plan to carry stock to please you, to give you the best value, quality and style. Our constant endeavor will be to make the filling of your wants a pleasure to you with the best service.

THIS IS OUR MESSAGE TO YOU

G. W. Weaver & Son

RESOLVE TO MAKE OUR STORE

YOUR HEADQUARTERS

Whenever you come to town and find

A Happy New Year

ALL THE YEAR AROUND

from us with our best service from our large stock. A store built for the people of the county, equal to the best city stores : : You are always welcome : : : With best wishes for happiness and prosperity during the next 365 days : : :

Peoples' Drug Store

SAFETY FIRST

Use Paxson's Sanitary Sweeping Compound while sweeping. It catches the GERMS as well as the DUST.

If your jobber or dealer does not have Paxson's Sanitary Sweeping Compound, then write us and we will see that you are supplied

MANUFACTURED BY

Paxson Manufacturing Company
219 Sansom St. Philadelphia, Pa.

Packed in barrels, 1-2 bbls. and tubs for use in stores, factories, theatres, hotels, churches, schools, etc., and in 5, 10 and 25 cent packages for household use.

It cleans floors and brightens carpets leaving the rooms in a pure and sanitary condition from the use of the disinfectant and deodorizer that it contains.

Ask your grocer for a package on the free trial proposition. INSIST ON HAVING PAXSON'S SANITARY SWEEPING COMPOUND. ACCEPT NO SUBSTITUTES.

OUR NAME IS ON ALL BARRELS AND PACKAGES

For Sale by

GETTYSBURG DEPT STORE,

Gettysburg, Pa

Farmers : and : Stockmen

Get Your Stock in Condition for Summer Work.

The careful ones always feed some good Food and Regulator.

We carry nothing but the guaranteed brands and they also carry with each package our store guarantee, "Absolute Satisfaction" or your money refunded, our brands are The Standard, The Prussian and Pratts, in assorted sizes.

PEOPLES DRUG STORE

Rexall A. D. S. Vinol Vicrola

Workmen's Compensation.

Under the new compensation law going into effect January 1. It is estimated that the number of workers who will benefit by the protection of the law is close to 1,750,000.

Compensation rates for disability resulting from accidents follow in part:

First fourteen days of disability, no compensation.

Total disability, fifty per cent. of wages for 500 weeks, nor more than \$10 nor less than \$5 a week. Total not to exceed \$4000

Partial disability, fifty per cent. of difference between earning power before and after accident for 300 weeks.

Loss of hand, fifty per cent. of wages for 175 weeks.

Loss of arm, fifty per cent. for 215 weeks

Loss of foot, fifty per cent. for 150 weeks

Loss of leg, fifty per cent. for 215 weeks.

Loss of eye, fifty per cent. for 125 weeks.

In case of death, forty per cent. of wages to widow or widower for 300 weeks.

For each child ten per cent. additional shall be paid until a maximum of sixty per cent. is reached.

Where only children twenty-five per cent. and ten per cent. additional to each child in excess of two shall be paid until a maximum of sixty per cent. is reached. In case of children the compensation continues until the child reaches 16 years of age

Decrease in Sale of Liquors.

According to the report just issued by the collector of internal revenue the sale of intoxicating liquors show a decided decrease over previous years. The figures below are general, but the Ninth district alone also shows a decrease in the distilling and consumption of distilled spirits

For the entire country the number of spirits distilled in 1913 were 193,806,258 gallons; in 1914, 181,919,540 gallons; 1915, 141,656,103 gallons.

For the first three months of 1916—that year starting July 1—27,908,326 gallons, as against 32,048,662 gallons for the corresponding period of 1914, and 33,456,420 gallons for three months of 1915.

For beer the figures for the entire country were: 1913, 65,245,554 barrels; 1914, 66,105,445 barrels; 1915, 59,746,701 barrels. For the first three months of the year the figures are: 1916, 17,453,555 barrels; 1915, 19,181,605 barrels; 1914, 20,606,582 barrels.

For the Ninth district there was a tremendous slump in the consumption of distilled spirits, being 493,892 2-10 gallons in 1914, and only 225,257 7-10 gallons in 1915.

The home of William Strasbaugh McSherrytown was the scene of three anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Strasbaugh, the 50th. birthday of William Strasbaugh and the 50th birthday of his father George A. Strasbaugh.

SEVEN STATES DRY JAN. 1

GREATEST DAY YET IN THE HISTORY OF DRY TERRITORY.

Nineteen Dry States, Four Wet, and Twenty-five Local Option Territory.

At midnight Jan. 1 was the greatest day in the history of prohibition. Seven American States went dry November 1, there will be 19 States in which the sale of alcoholic liquor is prohibited.

About 5,000,000 persons came under state-wide prohibition law New Year's Day. It has been reckoned that \$100,000,000 capital invested in the liquor industry will disappear so far as its previous use is concerned, although it will not be a total loss.

Arkansas, Washington, Idaho, Iowa, Colorado, Oregon and South Carolina have given goodbye to King Booze and Virginia gives the unwelcome guest to more months of grace.

Prohibition is already effective in 11 States—Maine, Kansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Arizona, North Carolina, West Virginia, Georgia, North Dakota and Alabama. Four States—New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Nevada and Montana are "wet" practically throughout. This leaves 25 local option States, most of which have rural prohibition and license cities. The map of the United States looks pretty "white."

In the course of the year which begins Saturday six States—Vermont, Michigan, South Dakota, Nebraska, Montana and California—will put the question of ousting Demon Rum before the voters. Florida will also probably ballot on prohibition. Most of the Southern States are now in the no-drink class.

Seattle, Washington, is now the largest dry city in the United States. The city had the sixth largest brewing company in the country, a three million dollar plant. The company is erecting a new plant in San Francisco. Going dry closes 1400 saloons and establishments of all kinds in Washington.

In South Carolina the county dispensaries operated by 14 of the 44 counties are closed. The vote for state-wide prohibition was strongly carried by about 18 to 1 vote.

Prohibition won by more than 35,000 majority in Oregon and it is said comes not as a result of a moral wave but for the reason that the citizens considered the saloon a source of corrupt politics, a cause of needless expense, to the commonwealth and a real detriment to legitimate business.

The most stringent law will be in force in Idaho, where liquor in the possession of any person, except under a doctor's prescription or on a sacramental or mechanical certificate is prima facie evidence of law violation.

The law in Iowa closed 483 saloons and eight breweries. In Colorado eleven breweries and 1600 saloons went out of business.

Spreading Colds.

This is the season when colds seem to be a well nigh universal complaint. If you have been fortunate enough to escape, your neighbor has not. There are numerous factors which are responsible for the spread of colds at this period of the year. As in many other infectious diseases one may be frequently exposed without any serious result.

There are simple congestive colds from exposure yet many conditions commonly called colds are caused by germs. Probably one of the most common methods of spreading these so-called colds is through the carelessness of those who are sick with the infectious condition and who are careless in handling their handkerchiefs and who sneeze and cough when near others without covering their mouths and noses to prevent spraying the droplets in the breath that are often filled with thousands of infective germs.

It is a common thing for colds to go through an entire family. This is usually the result of carelessness in coming too closely in contact with the sick or handling articles that have been infected by the patient. If the patient can remain in bed in a well ventilated room and the discharge from the nose and throat are properly disposed of, there is little or no danger of transmitting a cold to other members of the family and as a rule this greatly reduces the chance of becoming very ill and saves time in the end. It is well to use cheese cloth or paper in place of ordinary handkerchiefs because these may be burned after use.

If the usual symptoms of colds are aggravated in character, a physician should be sent for immediately as the line between the severe cold on the chest and pneumonia is delicately drawn. If a cold is permitted to hang on it easily becomes a predisposing factor to more serious ailments, tuberculosis in particular. Little Talks on Health and Hygiene by Samuel G. Dixon, M.D., LL.D., Commissioner of Health.

Local Telephone Co. Reorganized.

The Cumberland Valley Telephone Company, known here as the local company, has been in the hands of a receiver for several years, and was reorganized in Harrisburg last week and is again on an independent footing financially.

Henry M. Tracy, who had been receiver of the company, was chosen president; William J. Lescaure, Vice President; Oscar K. Kines, Secretary-Treasurer, and James Brady, Charles A. Kunkel, John E. Fox, Henry M. Tracy and William J. Lescaure, directors.

November 5 last, the company was sold at auction sale, the present directors purchasing it for the stockholders protective association.

At the meeting the capital stock of \$750,000, held in trust by the directors for the stockholders was placed in the company's treasury and it will be distributed among the stockholders. There is \$150,000 in first mortgages to be sold and \$750,000 in gen-

eral mortgage bonds to be distributed.

"The reorganization," said one of the directors, "will mean a reawakening throughout this district in the independent lines. We are now on a firm foundation and better service will be one of the things that will follow."

Deaths in Gettysburg, 1915.

Sixty-six deaths took place in Gettysburg in 1915 as follows:

Jan. 1, Mary Elizabeth Hunter.
Jan. 4, Edna C. Penn.
Jan. 12, Mary M. Flemming.
Jan. 13, Wm. H. Frock.
Jan. 14, Ellen C. Heiges.
Jan. 19, Henry Juskowitz.
Jan. 19, Mrs. Lydia Clapsaddle.
Feb. 8, Augustus Menchey.
Feb. 13, Julia Haas.
Mar. 5, Huber Clifford Penn.
Mar. 6, Louisa Catherine Cox.
Mar. 14, Harold S. Lewars.
Mar. 20, Charlotte Moore.
Mar. 21, Ira Howard Plank.
Mar. 31, George B. Bloomingdale.
Mar. 31, Edwin C. Noffsinger.
Apr. 7, John A. Rummel.
Apr. 7, John D. Spangler.
Apr. 18, Lydia S. Little.
Apr. 20, Owen Robinson.
Apr. 28, Charlotte Mickleley.
Apr. 30, William McClean.
May 5, Charlotte Romain Fox.
May 12, Elizabeth Jane Baker.
May 21, Mary Elizabeth Stallsmith.
May 23, Jacob M. Mundorff.
May 25, John P. Bream.
May 30, Catherine Hartman Base-hoar.

June 9, Charles A. Weirick.
June 9, John William Singley.
June 11, Henry P. Barbehenn.
June 16, Margaret M. Chronister.
June 20, John Weigand.
June 30, Harrier Horner Barr.
July 28, George William Naugle.
July 29, Elizabeth Minter.
Aug. 12, Maria Meals.
Aug. 22, Sarah J. Stahl.
Aug. 22, Louise M. Barkley.
Aug. 24, Charles Kennel Heagy.
Aug. 25, George W. Troxell.
Aug. 27, John S. Ziegler.
Aug. 29, Elizabeth S. Bucher.
Aug. 30, Maria K. Rosensteel.
Sept. 1, Felix M. Drais.
Sept. 6, Joseph Tate Bayly.
Sept. 9, William Epley.
Sept. 24, Minnie A. McCreary.
Oct. 6, Mary Jane Irvin.
Oct. 6, Alexander M. Walker.
Oct. 15, Edward A. Weaver.
Oct. 17, George E. Stock.
Oct. 26, Frederick N. Wierman.
Nov. 11, John McKenrick.
Nov. 23, Susan Elizabeth Bartel.
Nov. 26, Henry N. Minnigh.
Dec. 5, George Bowen Kendelehart.
Dec. 10, Willis Archer Burgoon.
Dec. 28, Emanuel Smith.
Feb. 11, Marion Sheely, at Tyrone.
Mar. 9, C. Wm. Troxell, at Phila.
June 10, Mrs. Margaret Kitzmiller, at Phila.

Deaths in Cumberland Twp. 1915.

Jan. 11, Miss Ella Hoffman, aged 40 years.
Feb. 18, Patrick Murphy, aged 68 yrs.
Feb. 25, Wm. Edwards, aged 85 yrs.
Mar. 20, Dr. T. T. Tate, aged 83 yrs. 7 mos. and 13 days.
Mar. 22, Mrs. Catherine Wright, aged 82 yrs., 1 mo. and 23 days.
Mar. 25, Mrs. John Hossler Black, aged 85 yrs., 1 mo. and 23 days.
Apr. 16, Mrs. James F. Rider, aged 68 yrs., 2 mos. and 1 day.
Apr. 27, Amanda Rife, aged 85 yrs.
Apr. 27, Mrs. Margaret Jane Reiff, aged 73 yrs., 7 mos. and 3 days.
May 27, Miss Alice Snyder, aged 67 yrs., 7 mos. and 10 days.
June 2, Mary A. Stavelly, aged 86 yrs., 2 mos. and 24 days.
June 5, Amos Pannebaker, aged 71 yrs.
June 14, The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan P. Stoner, aged 2 mos. and 8 days.
June 17, Mrs. Frank Kime, aged 64 yrs.
July 3, Jacob Eckert, aged 64 yrs.
July 8, John H. Beck, aged 65 yrs. 9 mos. and 29 days.
July 16, Wm. Long, aged 77 yrs.
Aug. 9, Georgiana Sell, aged 83 yrs.
Aug. 12, Peter Fidler, aged 90 yrs., 2 mos. and 15 days.
Sept. 10, Miss Elenora Sprengle, aged 40 yrs.
Sept. 23, Francis A. Allerton, aged 85 yrs.
Nov. 14, Ezra Ganston, aged 81 yrs., 9 mos. and 19 days.
Dec. 7, Miss Matilda Saum, aged 59 yrs.
Dec. 19, Wm. Otterbein Slaybaugh, aged 41 yrs., 3 mos. and 22 days.
Dec. 26, Noah H. Sheely, aged about 54 yrs.
Funeral at Mt. Joy Cemetery, 1915.
Mar. 2, Elmer Clair Schwartz, aged 1 yr.
June 21, Mrs. John F. Klinge, aged 74 yrs., 1 mo. and 3 days. J.F.S.

CASUALTIES IN GREAT BATTLES

Comparison of Losses at Waterloo and Gettysburg.

The heaviest loss in battles of the eighteenth century was at Kunersdorf, fought August 12, 1759, where 48,000 Prussians met 71,000 Russians and Austrians, and the total casualty list numbered 33,370 killed and wounded, 43.4 per cent. for the Prussians and 22.1 per cent. for the allies. At Zorn-dorf, fought a year earlier, August 25, 1758, the forces engaged were smaller and the total casualties fewer but the percentage of casualties greater, numbering 42.9 per cent. for the 42,000 Russians and 33.3 per cent. for the 36,000 Prussians.

The principal battle of the nineteenth century was Leipzig, October 19, 1813, the "Battle of the Nations," where Napoleon with 171,000 men met and defeated the army numbering 301,500. Napoleon's casualties numbered 45,000 and those of the allies 48,000, but in per centages the losses told heavily against him, 26.3 per cent. to 16.2 per cent. for the Russians, Prussians and Austrians.

At Aspern, May 21, 1809, 90,000 French lost 42,050, or 46.8 per cent., and 75,000 Austrians 22,520, or 30 per

cent. At Borodino, September 7, 1812, the French lost 24,500 or 18.4 per cent. of their 130,000, and the Russians 37,500 or 31 per cent. of 121,000 men. These are the figures of Otto Beradt in "Die Zahl im Kriege," Wien, 1897. Fox, in his "Regimental Losses of the Civil War," gives figures for Waterloo which do not agree with those of Beradt, but they come sufficiently near not to disturb the interesting comparison Fox made between Waterloo and Gettysburg.

At Waterloo the French numbered 80,000 men and 252 guns; the allies numbered 72,000 men and 186 guns. At Gettysburg the union Army numbered 52,000 men and 300 guns; the confederates, 70,000 men and 250 guns. At Waterloo Wellington's army lost 21,185, at Gettysburg Meade's army lost 23,003.

The loss of the French at Waterloo has never been officially announced, but has been estimated at 29,000; the Confederate loss at Gettysburg, as officially reported by the Confederate surgeon-general, was 20,448, to which must be added 7,077 wounded and unwounded prisoners, whose names are omitted from his list, but appear on the records at Washington.

In short, the battles of Waterloo and Gettysburg were fought with from 70,000 and 82,000 men on each side, and the combatants lost about 23,000 men each.

In the Franco-Prussian War the greatest loss occurred at the battle of Gravelotte, where the Germans lost 4,449 killed (including the mortally wounded), 15,189 wounded and 939 missing; total, 20,577, out of 146,000 troops engaged, exclusive of 65,000 reserves. At Gettysburg Meade's army sustained a greater loss with half the number engaged.

It may be suggested that the Franco-Prussian War was, comparatively, of brief duration, and hence a comparison of the aggregate casualties cannot properly be made. But in the American Civil War during the six months following May 4, 1864, the various Union armies sustained greater loss than the German armies did during the Franco-Prussian War. The total loss of the German army in that war was 28,277 killed or mortally wounded, 85,482 wounded and 14,138 missing; total, 127,897.

The casualties at Borodino, one of the bloodiest battles since the use of gunpowder, have been variously stated. The Encyclopedia Britannica puts the Russian loss at 30,000 as killed, wounded and prisoners, and the French loss at "considerable above 20,000." Allison gives the losses at Borodino in round numbers only, placing the French loss at 50,000 and the Russian at 45,000. The most credible statement is found in the journal of the London statistical society, which places the number of killed and wounded in the French Army at Borodino at 28,085 out of 133,000 troops present on the field. The Russian Army numbered 132,000 at that battle, and there is nothing to show that its loss was greater than that of its antagonist. Although the number of killed and wounded at Borodino was greater numerically than at Waterloo and Gettysburg, the percentage of loss was very much less.

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"Shaking hands, kissing, getting too near the mouthpiece of telephones, putting the unwashed hands in the mouth or on foodstuffs, may all be the means of transmitting the infection."

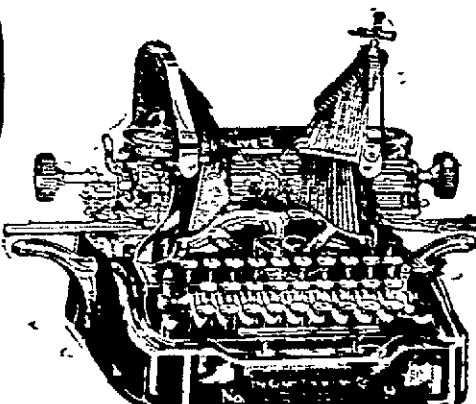
"Always place the handkerchief over the face when sneezing. Carry a little bag to put the used handkerchief in whether it be paper or linen. Disinfect these handkerchiefs before sending them to a public laundry. Restaurants should lay off those among their help suffering from active grip."

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THE BOROUGH'S FINANCES

WHAT IT COSTS TO RUN BOR-
OUGH FOR A YEAR.

The Status of the Town and its Future Development Depends Upon its Finances.

The statement of the finances of the borough for the year 1914 has just been made public by the borough. It covers the period from the first Monday of January, 1914, to the first Monday of January 1915. The audit of the account for this period has been prepared for distribution to the citizens of the town in pamphlet form and is given below as news to our readers. Every citizen of the town should read it carefully in order to understand exactly where Gettysburg stands financially. The statement is as follows:

Account of Philip R. Bikle, Treasurer of
the Borough of Gettysburg, in account with
the Borough of Gettysburg.

GENERAL BOROUGH FUND

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand last audit	\$	351.35
Taxes:		
H. E. Bumbaugh, Collector.		
1912	\$	648.74
1913		926.74
1914		7394.84
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		\$968.32
Notes discounted at First National Bank.		
Feb. 6, 1914	\$	600.00
July 10, 1914		2000.00
Aug. 10, 1914		1400.00
Dec. 31, 1914		1000.00
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		5000.00
Fire Insurance from State Treas.		117.84
Expenses from Burgess		169.25
Proceeds of bonds sold May 21, 1914, of issue of April 1, 1913,		
6 at \$500.00	\$	3000.00
Accrued interest		10.02
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Licenses:		
R. B. Wible, Attorney, 1913 li-		
cense balance due		2.00
Collections and licenses from J. D. Swope, attorney		315.53
Refunds:		
American Express Co.	\$.45
Board of Health		11.24
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		11.69
Liquor license receipts		\$600.00
Building permits from Wallace		
Edmund		1.75
Market Master receipts		199.00
Carbing payments from C. B. Kitzmiller		1165.00
Fines:		
Riley Harnish, J. P.		57.00
Black Hens		381.00
Poll Taxes:		
Western Union Tel. Co.	\$	1.00
Bell Tel. Co.		2.00
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		21.00
Miscellaneous:		
Clavin Gilbert, oil sub-		
scription	\$	509.20
G. & H. R. R., oil sub.		10.80
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Total receipts		\$2150.75

DISBURSEMENTS

Pay Rolls:		
Street Laborer and Road Commissioner	\$ 2236.17	
Police:		
Wallace Emmons	\$ 510.00	
John Shearer	510.00	
Gen. Gordon	15.50	
R. Long	2.00	
G. Reilly	2.20	
G. Weikert	18.50	
L. Eldred	4.40	
J. Walters	1.20	
M. H. Baker	1.00	
C. Reaver	1.20	
State Police expenses:		
J. Spangier	\$2.10	
F. Bruner	9.00	
	11.10	
Police Uniforms:	\$ 1185.10	
John Brehm	20.00	
Salaries:		
Burgess, John Raymond	\$ 125.00	
Market Master Emmons	65.00	
Atty. J. D. Swope	100.00	
Stans C. E. Hamilton	100.00	
C. B. Kitzmiller, com.	57.32	
Treas. P. R. Bickle	75.00	
P. R. Bickle, com.	17.60	
Janitor J. Carver	144.00	
Borough auditors	36.00	
	\$ 719.92	
Merchandise:		
Gettsburg Dept. Store	\$ 144.18	
Gettsburg Supply House	3.00	
Adams Co. Edw. Co.	11.76	
Peoples Drug Store	3.50	
	\$ 162.44	
Street Lighting:		
Gettsburg Light Co.	2887.70	
Light supplies:		
T. P. Turner	\$ 2.14	
Geo. E. Stock	6.25	
	\$ 8.39	
Fire Company:		
Apparatus	\$ 117.84	
Wichman	2.78	
C. H. Wilson	33.85	
Darling Pump Co.	140.00	
Armour & Son	4.20	
	\$ 348.67	
Board of Health:		
Appropriation	\$ 200.00	
Expenses	25.00	
	\$ 225.00	
Meats:		
M. A. Miller	15.00	
Printing and Advertising:		
Gettsburg Compiler	\$ 60.50	
Times Pub. Co.	18.05	
	\$ 78.55	
Interest and Discount:		
First National Bank of Gettsburg	355.91	
Notes Redeemed:		
First National Bank	4300.00	
Hauling:		
Martin Winter	110.25	
Freight and Express:		
G. & H. R. R. Co.	\$ 208.44	
Geo. E. Stock	.25	
	\$ 208.69	
Coal and Lumber:		
Kelly & O'Leary	\$ 6.75	
W. M. Wolf	7.00	
John McElhenry	13.50	
W. A. Martin	12.09	
J. O. Blocher	9.85	
	\$ 114.90	
State Tax:		
P. R. Young State Trans.	167.20	
Street Supplies:		
Gettsburg Dept. Store	\$.50	
H. Viner	129.50	
Barrett Mfg. Co.	481.68	
Gettsburg 2nd Co.	437.04	
G. W. Steelbach	1.26	
Adams Co. Edw. Co.	1.80	
	\$ 1044.68	
Stone and Sand:		
H. L. Dick	\$ 1264.66	
Gettsburg	7.00	
P. Bramble	152.60	
	\$ 1424.26	
Feast Supplies:		
Steele & Miller	\$ 171.45	
Gettsburg Drug Store	119.85	
Gettsburg St. Laundry	28.25	
Ed. Salt Co.	20.22	
	\$ 342.00	
Equipment Expenses:		
Equipment purchased from Adams Co.	\$ 113.60	
Boarding horse	72.00	
Carl Peters	3.50	
	\$ 189.10	
Quit Rent:		
H. E. Dumbaugh, Col.	2.00	
Water:		
Gettsburg Water Co.	400.00	
Gas:		
Gettsburg Gas Co.	\$ 72.00	
Carriage and Paving:		
C. E. Lacy	\$ 1506.55	
Winter & Nefferson	21.25	
H. M. Roth	7.60	
C. G. Shedd	5.00	
H. Culp estate	3.50	
H. Ridinger	3.50	
D. Frazer	2.50	
L. J. Forner	6.60	
C. S. Spease	6.60	
C. S. Reaver	579.64	
Thos. McAnulty	2.50	

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A. Tate	1204.44		
A. B. Plank	14.85		
A. J. Warner	6.00		
F. K. Hammond	16.80		
F. K. Hammond	4.00		
Geo. Bushman	2.80		
Mrs. Chas. Gilbert	3.00		
Mrs. Charles Gilbert	3.00		
J. E. Snyder	6.00		
Frank Peckham	5.13		
M. Jacob Gilbert	3.00		
P. Wassem	3.00		
S. S. Neely	18.90		
George Black	21.65		
Wilson Bryan	7.00		
H. Hartley	12.77		
Kate Nixon	28.83		
George Eberhart	8.30		
J. D. Swope	7.00		
C. H. Smith	7.00		
Crossing, Cobbling and Gutters:		\$ 3821.94	
M. Tate	\$ 24.40		
S. D. Midgley	141.51		
H. Tawney	42.18		
A. J. Smith	3.75		
M. W. Sheads	198.24		
		\$ 429.08	
Miscellaneous:			
Wm. Conover	\$ 3.60		
Ben. Carter	1.50		
Wallace Emmons	3.50		
N. Cassatt	33.00		
J. Tawney	2.65		
J. Caldwell	10.05		
D. Rubenstein	4.72		
P. Kappes	2.00		
H. Shryock	2.75		
A. B. Plank	7.75		
L. Tipton	1.00		
L. John Warner	36.20		
E. Zinzand	15.22		
G. W. Heagy	.90		
Wm. Steinour	9.97		
J. Martin	.75		
Wm. Lewis	9.97		
C. W. Ziegler & Co.	7.95		
Edw. Woodward	15.92		
Wm. Yingling	6.00		
H. J. Weikert	4.18		
O. Cassatt	21.87		
D. Criswell	22.22		
		\$ 216.32	
Total expenditures		\$21232.25	
Balance on hand		18.50	
		\$2250.55	
SPECIAL ACCOUNT.			
DR.			
Balance on hand at last audit	\$ 529.38		
From H. E. Bumbaugh Collector.			
1912 duplicate	\$ 387.76		
1913 duplicate	540.75		
1914 duplicate	2638.40		
		\$ 3566.91	
Total receipts		\$4896.29	
CR.			
Notes Redeemed:			
Nov. 1913, at 2 months	\$ 550.00		
Borough bonds and coupons redeemed of issue of 20 bonds at 4 per cent. dated March 1, 1909, Bond No. 6.	500.00		
Coupons on same series from bonds No. 5 to 20 inclusive, due October 1, 1914, at \$20.	820.00		
44 coupons Nos. 1 to 44 due April 1, 1914, at \$10.	440.00		
44 coupons Nos. 18 due Oct. 1, 1914, at \$10.	440.00		
Bond No. 9 of same bonds, redemption 3.90 per cent. issue of Jan. 8, 1906, Bond No. 9 due Oct. 1, 1914.	100.00		
22 coupons on bonds of same issue No. 69 due Oct. 1, 1914, at 3.90 per cent.	85.50		
Bonds Nos. 17 and 18 of issue of 4 per cent. bonds of Jan. 2, 1906, due Oct. 1, 1914, at \$500.	1000.00		
12 coupons of bonds of same series due Apr. 1, 1914, from bonds Nos. 4 to 8 inclusive and 11 to 15 inclusive and 22 and 23 at \$10.	120.00		
21 coupons on same series due Oct. 1, 1914, on bonds Nos. 4 to 16 inc.; 22, 23 and 25 to 30 inclusive at \$10	210.00		
Total disbursements		\$3765.80	
Balance on hand		\$ 620.49	
ACCOUNT OF PETER CULP DECEASED.			
Tax Collector.			
General Borough Tax:			
1912 Duplicate.			
DR.			
To amount outstanding last audit	\$2769.13		
CR.			
Amt. pd. Treas. by H. E. Bumbaugh	\$ 646.74		
Commissions deducted	54.04		
		\$ 680.78	
Balance outstanding in hands of H. E. Bumbaugh, collector		\$2088.35	
Special Borough Tax:			
DR.			
To amt. outstanding last audit	\$2139.97		
CR.			
Amt. paid Treas. H. E. Bumbaugh	\$ 387.76		
Commissions deducted	20.41		
		\$ 408.17	
Balance outstanding		\$1731.80	
ACCOUNT OF W. H. FROCK, DECEASED.			
Ex-tax Collector.			
General and Special Borough Tax:			
Balance due in full settlement of all duplicates as shown by last audit			\$ 7.32
ACCOUNT OF H. E. BUMBAUGH.			
Tax Collector.			
General Borough Taxes:			
1913 Duplicate.			
DR.			
Amount outstanding last audit	\$ 1953.95		
CR.			
Amts. paid Treas.	\$ 926.74		
By commissions	48.77		
		\$ 975.51	
Amt. outstanding		\$ 978.44	
1914 Duplicate.			
DR.			
Amt. of duplicate (no percent. added prior to Jan. 1, 1915)	\$10729.77		
CR.			
By abatement	\$ 397.14		
By commission, 2 per cent.	150.81		
Amts. paid Treas. collected prior to Oct. 1, 1914	7304.82		
		\$ 7842.77	
Amt. outstanding		\$ 2786.97	
Special Borough Tax.			
1913 Duplicate.			
DR.			
Amt. outstanding last audit	\$1130.94		
CR.			
Amts. paid Treas.	\$ 540.75		
By commissions	25.45		
		\$ 566.20	
Amt. outstanding Dec. 31, 1914	\$ 564.74		
1914 Duplicate.			
DR.			
Amt. of duplicate, (no per cent. earned prior to Jan. 1, 1915)	\$3857.30		
CR.			
Abatement	\$ 141.69		
Commissions 2 per cent.	53.85		
Amts. paid Treas. prior to Oct. 1, 1914	2628.40		
(Payments subsequent to Oct. 1, 1914, not accounted for when Treas. book closed)		2832.94	
Amt. outstanding Dec. 31, 1914	\$1023.41		
EICHELDGERGER AND STAHL CHARITY Funds.			
Philip R. Birkle, Treasurer, in account with Borough of Gettysburg.			

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Balance on hand last audit of un-	expended income	\$ 144.34
Interest from J. L. Mumper on	Elcheberger fund	166.25
Income from Stable fund	Corpus of Elcheberger	118.93
fund	fund	\$3225.00
Corpus of Stable fund	transferred from ac-	
counts of Finance Com-	mittee	3046.75
Totals		\$6801.27
CR.		
By disbursements on	vouchers drawn by Mrs.	
T. J. Barkley, chair-	man	
C. D. Kitzmiller	\$	8.30
Emory Cleveland		8.25
Peoples' Cash Store		10.50
J. O. Blocher		40.00
W. O. Lyles		2.75
Scott Brothers		35.80
Leo Miller		1.25
Geo. Reichle		1.00
Kelly & Oyster		28.85
Gettysburg Dept. Store		8.50
John Kimple		2.00
I. Reynolds		17.50
John McIlhenry		16.50
G. W. Steinhour		6.75
N. L. Winter		2.00
A. S. Mills		1.50
Oyer Brothers		3.50
A. W. Sentz		4.00
William Eden		4.25
J. A. Becker		2.50
Fun. Tipton		8.00
J. Rinehart		2.00
O. H. Leszl		2.50
Amt. paid C. B. Dough-	erty, chairman, Fi-	\$ 215.70
nance Committee		118.93
From Stable fund:		
Balance on hand unex-	pended income	94.85
Corpus of Elcheberger	Fund	3225.00
Corpus of Stable fund		3046.75
Total		\$6801.27
ACCOUNT OF J. A. HOLTZWORTH,		
Former Burgess.		
DR.		
To balance due from Burgess to	Borough	\$ 1.25
ACCOUNT OF JOHN H. RAYMOND,		
Burgess.		
DR.		
To miscellaneous receipts		\$ 169.25
CR.		
Amts. paid Treas.		\$ 169.25
ACCOUNT OF J. DONALD SWOPE,		
Borough Attorney.		
DR.		
Licenses and curb collections and	tax liens	\$ 315.55
CR.		
Amts. paid Treas.		\$ 315.55
ACCOUNTS OF C. B. KITZMILLER,		
Secretary.		
Miscellaneous receipts for curbing ..		\$1165.00
CR.		
Amts. paid Treas.		\$1165.00
ACCOUNT OF WALLACE EMMONS,		
Market Master.		
DR.		
1235 daily licenses at 10 cts.		\$ 123.50
21 monthly licenses at \$1.00		21.00
19 quarterly licenses at \$2.50		47.50
		\$ 197.00
CR.		
Amts. paid Treas.		\$ 199.00
Amt. overpaid		\$ 2.00
ACCOUNT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE OF		
TOWN COUNCIL		
For year ending December 31, 1914.		
DR.		
Balance on hand last audit as fol-	lows:	
Borough bonds Nos. 9 to 30, in-	clusive 22 at \$100	\$ 2200.00
Certificate of deposit First Na-	tional Bank	946.75
Unsold borough bonds of issue of	April 1, 1913, 1 to 2 inclusive,	
17 to 21 inclusive. 24 to 30 in-	clusive. 15 at \$500	7500.00
Cash unaccounted for40
Income receipted from Borough	Treas., Stable fund	118.93
Accrued interest on 6 bonds of	issue of April 1, 1913, sold and	
proceeds paid to Treasurer		10.05
Total		\$10776.10
CR.		
Amt. of Stable charity	fund charged to the	
account of the Bor-	ough Treasurer	\$ 3046.75
Proceeds of 6 bonds of	issue of April 1,	
1913, sold and pro-	ceeds thereof paid to	
Treas., 6 at \$500		3000.00
Accrued interest on	bonds sold and paid	
to Treas.		10.02
Disbursements - Stable	income made by Cal-	
vin Gilbert		30.00
Disbursements - Stable	income made by C. B.	
Dougherty		40.00
Disbursements - Stable	income made by	
Harry Trostle		48.82
Bal. due Borough		4500.40
		\$10776.10
The above balance of	\$1600.40 due the	
Borough is represent-	ed by unsold Borough	
bonds of the issue of	April 1, 1913, Nos.	
1, 2 and 3 at \$100		300.00
Inclusive \$ at \$500		4000.00
Bonds sold but not ac-	counted for	500.00
Proceeds of bond sold	as investment and re-	
demanded for		100.00
Cash deficit of previ-	ous year40
		\$ 4000.40
STATEMENT OF RESOURCES AND LI-		
ABILITIES AS OF JAN. 1, 1915.		
RESOURCES.		
General Borough Purposes.		
Pal in hands of Treas.		\$ 12.50
Due from W. H. Frack Tax Col.		7.35
Due from H. E. Bumbaugh, suc-	cessor to Peter Culp	2055.30
Due on 1913 tax duplicate in	hands of H. E. Bumbaugh	278.40
Due on 1914 tax duplicate in	hands of H. E. Bumbaugh	2786.85
Amt. due from ex-Burgess J. A.	Holtzworth	1.25
License tax due from Gettysburg	Railway Co. for 2 years to June	
1, 1914 at \$100		300.00
License tax on poles due from	Gettysburg Railway Co. for	
years 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914 ..		
General resources		\$ 6150.70
Special Purposes		
Pal in hands of Treas. special	fund	600.40
Balance due on 1912 duplicate in	hands of H. E. Bumbaugh, suc-	
cessor to Peter Culp		1781.80
Balance due on 1913 tax duplicate	in hands of H. E. Bumbaugh	561.75
Balance due on 1914 tax duplicate	in hands of H. E. Bumbaugh	1023.40
Balance in hands of Finance Com-	mittee for bonds not accounted	
for		500.00
Unsold bonds of issue of April 1,	1913, in hands of Fin. Com.	4000.00
		\$ 8467.80
Charitable Purposes.		
Unexpended income in hands of	Borough Treasurer	\$ 54.85
Bal. due from Fin. Com.40

LIABILITIES

Notes held by First Nat. Bank:
(General Fund)
\$5600 due Jan. 6, 1915; \$1400
due Feb. 10, 1915; \$1000 due
Jan. 15, 1916 8000.00
Notes: On Oct. 23, 1914, Borough
Treas. paid note of \$925, tak-
ing credit for only \$900. This
error is corrected by allowing
Treasurer additional credit of
\$25. 25.00
Borough bonds of issue of April
1, 1913, outstanding 10300.00
Borough bonds of issue of March
1, 1909, Nos. 5 and 7 to 20 in-
clusive; 15 at \$500 7500.00
Four per cent. (4 per cent.) bor-
ough bonds of issue of Jan. 5, 1906 22500.00
39 per cent bonds of issue of
Jan. 3, 1906 2200.00
Additional credit allowed P. K.
Bible, Treas. of note paid Oct.
24, 1914 25.00
Over payment due Wallace Em-
merson 2.00
\$50727.00

October 2, 1915.

We, the undersigned, auditors of the Borough of Gettysburg, hereby certify that we have audited, settled and adjusted the accounts of the Borough Council, Tax Collectors, Burgers, Market Master, Finance Committee and other officers of the Borough for the year ending January 1st, 1915, and the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the accounts of the said officers for the said period.

H. D. GEISELMAN
PAUL A. MARTIN
M. A. MILLER
Borough Auditors.

1915 Contributions.

The year 1915 was one of the most remarkable years in the history of the United States from the economic point of view, a year of unsurpassed prosperity. A review of the year is marked by the following eight salient features, as pointed out by the New York Times

1. Enormous increase in exports, which, combined with slightly increased imports, gave us a total trade of \$5,350,000,000, exceeding the biggest previous year by 25 per cent., and yielding a credit balance of close to \$1,750,000,000, two and a half times as great as any previous balance.
2. Growth in banking facilities under the operation of the Federal Reserve Bank system, and in consequence of a net inflow of \$415,000,000 in gold, so great that, despite the rapid increase in loans, available credits are counted by billions.
3. Growth of manufacturing, under the stimulus, first of foreign orders and then of greatly increased home demand, to a level which, in some trades, exceeded all previous experience; as in the steel trade, which is now more active than ever in the past.
4. Farm output exceeding \$10,000,000,000, greater than ever before, accompanied by much-needed diversification of crops in the Southern cotton states.
5. Repurchase from Europe of \$1,200,000,000 of our securities, perhaps more, with so great ease that their absorption did not prevent a great and sustained rise in our stocks and bonds.
6. Assumption through the channels of trade and finance of an international, in lieu of a provincial position, and of a part in world trade more in keeping with the country's great resources, a change attested by the large loans we made abroad and by the widespread increase in our foreign commerce.
7. Recovery in railroad earnings which is benefiting railway credit and restoring normal purchasing power to an industry naturally the chief customer of other industries, but which has been forced for years to limit greatly its expenditures.
8. Revival in American shipbuilding, which has filled all the country's shipyards with orders for a year or more ahead and is reflected in the bringing of hundreds of vessels under the United States flag.

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ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the policy holders of the Gettysburg Mutual Fire Insurance Company for the purpose of electing sixteen managers for the ensuing year and transacting such other business, as may properly come before it, will be held on MONDAY, JAN. 10, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of John D. Keitt, Esq., in the Borough of Gettysburg, County of Adams, State of Pennsylvania.

W. E. KAPP, Sec.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Gettysburg National Bank that an election of nine directors to serve one year, will be held at their banking house on TUESDAY, JAN. 11, 1916, between the hours of 1 and 3 p. m.

E. M. BENDER, Cashier.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Citizens' Trust Company of Gettysburg that an election of fourteen directors to serve for one year will be held at the banking house of said corporation in Gettysburg on MONDAY, JAN. 10, 1916, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 m.

R. WM. BREAN, Trustee.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the First National Bank of Gettysburg that an election of eight directors to serve one year, will be held at their banking house on TUESDAY, JAN. 11, 1916, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 m.

J. E. MUSSELMAN, Cashier.

LICENSE NOTICE

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Adams County:

It is ordered that all applications for licenses for the sale of vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, wholesale or retail, for the year 1916 will be heard on Friday the 14th day of January, 1916, at 10.30 a. m. at which time all persons applying or making objections to applications will be heard by evidence, petition, remonstrance, or counsel. There must be no communication at any time with the Judges personally upon the subject, by letter or any other way.

The petition verified by affidavit or applicant, shall be in conformity with the requirements of the Act of Assembly. Judgment bond shall be executed in the penal sum of \$2000, with no less than two reputable freeholders of the county where the liquors are to be sold, as sureties, each of them to be a bona fide owner of real estate in the said county, worth, over and above all encumbrances, the sum of \$2000, or other legal security to be given.

Bond conditioned for the faithful observance of all the laws relating to the selling or furnishing of liquors and to pay all damages which shall be recovered against the license, and all costs, fines and penalties, which may be imposed on him under an indictment for violating said laws and the sureties may be required to appear in Court and justify upon oath. The Court shall in all cases refuse the application whenever, in regard to the number and character of the petitioners for and against such applications, such license is not necessary for the accommodation of the public and entertainment of strangers and travelers, or that the applicant is not a fit person to whom such license should be granted.

Petitions to be filed with the Clerk of the Courts not later than **Saturday the 18th day of December, 1915.** Objections and remonstrances to be filed not later than **Tuesday, 4th day of January, 1916.** Upon sufficient cause being shown or proof being made to the Court that the party holding the license has violated any law of the Commonwealth relating to the sale of liquors, the Court shall, upon notice being given to the person licensed, revoke the license.

By the Court.

S. McC. SWOPE, Pres. Judge.

Attest: WM. E. OLINGER, Clerk, Q. S.

SHERIFF'S SALE

In pursuance of a writ of fieri facias, issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale on **SATURDAY, the 8th day of JANUARY, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon** at the Court House in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, the following real estate, viz: A lot of ground situated in Reading township, Adams county, Pa., being in Hampton; and is bounded and described as follows: fronting 65 ft. (more or less) on the road leading from Gettysburg to York and running back 130 ft. (more or less) to a public alley on the south lot of the Improved Order of Red Men on the west, and lot of Jesse A. bright on the east; improved with a two and one-half story frame dwelling house, hog pen, chicken house and other outbuildings. Seized and taken into execution as the property of D. H. Myers and to be sold by me.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money upon all sales by the sheriff must be paid over immediately after the property is struck down or upon failure to comply therewith the property will be put up again for sale.

G. R. THOMPSON, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Pa., December 15, 1915.

NOTICE OF INQUEST

In the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania.

In re estate of Charles A. Weirick deceased.

To the heirs of said decedent and all other persons interested:

You and each of you are hereby notified that the Orphans' Court of Adams County has awarded an inquest to make partition and valuation of a certain lot of ground situated in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., fronting on the north side of Breckenridge street adjoining lot of J. A. Myrick on the west, lot of George Slonaker on the east and running back to a public alley. Improved with a story and half fram dwelling house, frame stable, wagon shed, and other outbuildings, also well of good water and the said inquest will be held on said premises on **TUESDAY, the 15th day of JANUARY, A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.** at which time and place you are requested to attend and you think fit and proper.

G. R. THOMPSON, Sheriff of Adams County.

J. L. Williams, Esq., Attorney.

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Pa., December 15, 1915.

CHARTER NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to said Court on the 22nd day of January, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. under the provisions of the "Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and its supplements, by George Weaver, Charles E. Weaver, Jacob Mause, B. F. Lightner, John Pifer, Eliza A. Warren and William J. Jacobs for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Friendsgrove Cemetery of the Church of the Brethren" the character and object of which is the acquiring and maintaining a cemetery for the Christian burial of the dead and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said Act and its supplements.

The proposed charter is now on file in the Prothonotary's office of said court.

J. L. WILLIAMS, Solicitor, Gettysburg, Pa.

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List of Jurors

GRAND JURORS.

List of Grand Jurors drawn December 20th 1915, for the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery to be held at Gettysburg in and for the County of Adams the fourth Monday of January, A. D. 1916.

Appler, Joseph U., farmer, Mt. Joy Twp.

Baker, M. L., farmer, Liberty Twp.

Baker, Maurice P., farmer, Mt. Joy Twp.

Baschoar, Charles, gent, Littlestown Boro.

Bushey, Blain, teacher, Franklin Twp.

Bushman, Joseph M., gent, Gettysburg, 1st ward.

Crowe, H. A., clerk, Gettysburg, 1st ward.

Funt, Harry H., laborer, Butler Twp.

Garber, J. O., farmer, Reading Twp.

Kane, John, butcher, Gettysburg, 2nd ward.

Kinneman, J. A., barber, Abbottstown Boro.

Kane, J. Allen, farmer, Highland Twp.

Kohler, Claude, laborer, Oxford Twp.

Lerew, H. E., farmer, Straban Twp.

Miller, Geo. A., paper hanger, New Oxford Boro.

Mickley, John, gent, Germany Twp.

Moriarity, Dr. M., veterinarian, Gettysburg, 1st ward.

Oyler, W. L., merchant, Gettysburg, 1st ward.

Riley, D. F., farmer, Liberty Twp.

Stahley, Edward, dairyman, Hamiltonban Twp.

Slaybaugh, Claude, blacksmith, Mt. Pleasant Twp.

Weaver, John S., warehouse keeper, New Oxford Boro.

Wolfe, Clarence, farmer, Mt. Joy Twp.

Ziegler, Wallace, wagoner, Gettysburg, 1st ward.

PETIT JURORS.

List of Petit Jurors drawn December 20th, 1915, for Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery to be held at Gettysburg in and for the County of Adams the fourth Monday of January A. D. 1916.

Bair, Samuel K., farmer, Conowago Twp.

Bentzel, Jacob, farmer, Freedom Twp.

Bowers, Geo. W., carpenter, Gettysburg, 3rd ward.

Bollinger, Harvey, sexton, Gettysburg, 2nd ward.

Chrimer, Wm. J., gent, Mt. Pleasant Twp.

Culp, James W., guide, Gettysburg 3d ward.

Crabbs, Maurice, farmer, Berwick Twp.

Ditzler, John, farmer, Union Twp.

Deardorff, Levi, cigarmaker, Gettysburg, 1st ward.

Epples, John W., blacksmith, Cumberland Twp.

Freed, Mervin E., farmer, Franklin Twp.

Fitz, E. C., farmer, Liberty Twp.

Frack, James E., clerk, Gettysburg, 1st ward.

Frey, Wm. H., painter, Gettysburg, 1st ward.

Fink, David, printer, Hamiltonban Twp.

Flemming, Wm. F., farmer, Straban Twp.

Gable, John F., farmer, Huntingdon Twp.

Golden, Harry, Jr., carpenter, Menallen Twp.

Hoover, Joseph, carpenter, New Oxford Boro.

Hornor, Winfield, poultryman, Cumberland Twp.

Hoover, Samuel, farmer, Hamilton Twp.

Kreit, Samuel, farmer, Menallen Twp.

Krug, John D., farmer, Oxford Twp.

Lawyer, D. A., gent, Biglerville Boro.

Lawyer, Wm. H., shoemaker, Biglerville Boro.

Little, George, farmer, Mt. Joy Twp.

Lerew, Joseph, agent, Latimore Twp.

Miller, D. A., cigarmaker, Abbottstown Boro.

Motter, George E., farmer, Mt. Joy Twp.

Miller, Samuel, barber, Gettysburg, 3rd ward.

Menges, Jacob A., farmer, Huntingdon Twp.

Menckey, J. A., gent, Gettysburg, 3rd ward.

Mishier, P. M., gent, Gettysburg, 2nd ward.

McIntire, Charles, merchant, Hamilton Twp.

Noel, Park, private police, Gettysburg, 2nd ward.

Newman, Harvey, merchant, Franklin Twp.

Peters, Z. J., warehouseman, Butler Twp.

Patterson, Frank, cabinet maker, Gettysburg, 1st ward.

Resser, W. W., farmer, East Berlin Boro.

Slaybaugh, R. W., carpenter, Butler Twp.

Shade, Frank, guide, Gettysburg, 1st ward.

Stansberry, Wm., clerk, Littlestown Boro.

Sharrah, Jacob, farmer, Franklin Twp.

Sheely, George D., farmer, Oxford Twp.

Stough, Augustus, farmer, Straban Twp.

Stevens, John, farmer, Cumberland Twp.

Wheeler, Aaron, gent, Littlestown Boro.

Watson, Wm., farmer, Hamiltonban Twp.

NOTICE

By the Board of Viewers of Adams County. Road Case No. 2, November Sessions, 1915. Vacating and supplying road in Latimore township.

Notice is hereby given that a public highway in the above-stated road case will be held by the Board of Viewers in the Arbitration Room in the Court House at Gettysburg on Tuesday the 18th day of January, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons interested, who see proper to appear, will be heard.

BOARD OF VIEWERS.
By their Atty.,
C. W. Stoner.

WANTED—Clean white rags at this office.

Proclamation

To the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables in the different Boroughs and Townships in the County of Adams—Greetings.

KNOW YE, that in pursuance of a precept to me directed under the hand and seal of the Honorable S. McC. Swope, President of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the 51st Judicial District, consisting of the Counties of Adams and Fulton, and by virtue of his office of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of Capital and other offenders therein, and in the General Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and W. Howard Dicks and Leo Snerlinger, Esqs., Judges of the same County of Adams. You and each of you are hereby required to be and appear in your own proper persons with your Records, Recognizances, Examinations and other remembrances, before the Judges aforesaid, at Gettysburg, at a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace therein to be holden in the County of Adams aforesaid on the Fourth Monday of January, next, it being the 24th day at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day then and there to do those things to which your several offices appertain.

SEAL. GIVEN under my hand at Gettysburg on the 20th day of Dec., in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

G. R. THOMPSON, Sheriff.

LICENSE

The following applicants for liquor license have been filed in my office with the requisite number of signers, and will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Adams County, on Friday the 14th day of January, 1916:

TAVERN.

Chas. D. Aldard, Abbottstown Borough.

Geo. Knipper, Arendtsville Borough.

Wm. H. Broom, Biglerville Borough.

Frank Bausman, Pendersville Borough.

Roy S. Baker, East Berlin Borough.

R. E. Sprengle, East Berlin Borough.

Geo. J. Kobil, Fairfield Borough.

Henry Scharf, Mgr., Gettysburg Borough, 1st ward.

Kenderton S. Lynch, Gettysburg Borough, 1st ward.

Frank Sberhart, Gettysburg Borough, 2nd ward.

Peter M. Bruner, Gettysburg Borough, 2nd ward.

Oliver Kleinfelter, Gettysburg Borough, 2nd ward.

Geo. W. Gangwisch, Gettysburg Borough, 3rd ward.

Mrs. Elise Braunreuter, Gettysburg Borough, 3rd ward.

Mrs. Mary M. Riffe, Littlestown Borough.

Hugh C. Hinkle, Littlestown Borough.

Chas. V. Eckenrode, Littlestown Borough.

Robert Godfrey, Littlestown Borough.

Wm. E. Arnold, McSherrystown Borough.

Joseph F. Elime, McSherrystown Borough.

C. S. Weaver, McSherrystown Borough.

Chas. T. Hersh, New Oxford Borough.

Geo. F. Grove, New Oxford Borough.

Chas. A. Hamilton, York Springs Borough.

Irvin E. Weaver, York Springs Borough.

Abner B. Kump, Franklin Township.

Frank G. Hemler, Mt. Pleasant Township.

Chas. Stransbaugh, Mt. Pleasant Township.

Jacob Eckert, Reading Township.

Frank Mc Thomas, Straban Township.

A. H. D. Ring, Cumberland Township, Springs Hotel.

RESTAURANT.

Peter P. Eisenhart, East Berlin Borough.

Geo. T. Hartzell, Gettysburg Borough, 2nd ward.

Rudolph J. Fuchs, McSherrystown Borough, 2nd ward.

B. H. Elime, McSherrystown Borough, 1st ward.

WHOLESALE.

John Kimple, Gettysburg Borough, 1st ward.

BOTTLERS.

Theo. Kimple, Mgr., Gettysburg Borough, 2nd ward.

The places for which the above applications for license have been made are the same as residence of applicants.

Licenses forfeited if not lifted within fifteen days after granting. Upon such neglect the person selling liquor after the expiration of the fifteen days shall be liable to prosecution and conviction as fully and effectually as if no license had been granted.

WM. E. OLINGER, Clerk Q. S.

NOTICE

The first and final account of J. L. Williams, Esq., assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of David Tipton and wife of Straban township, Adams county, Pa., has been filed and will be confirmed on the 22nd day of January 1916, at 10:30 a. m., unless cause be shown to the contrary.

T. MARSHALL MEHRING,
Prothonotary.

ELECTION NOTICE

An election for thirteen directors of Mummasburg Mutual Fire Protection Society will be held at the office of the Company in Gettysburg on SATURDAY, JAN. 1, 1916, between the hours of 12 m and 3 p. m.

J. F. HARTMAN, Sec.

Jonas Maring celebrated his sixty-birthday at his home in Mt. Joy township when his children and grandchildren gathered and an elaborate dinner was served.

William Kane the 15 year old son of George Kane of Franklin township who was severely injured in a fall astride a fence some time ago, has returned to his home from a Baltimore hospital, somewhat improved, although not yet able to walk about.

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5.51 p. m. Daily for Hanover, York, Baltimore and intermediate stations. No connection for York on Sunday.
5.30 p. m. Daily except Sunday for Hagerstown and intermediate stations.
11.22 p. m. Daily for Hagerstown, Cumberland, Pittsburgh and the West. Also W. Va. points.
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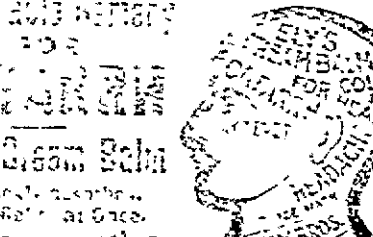
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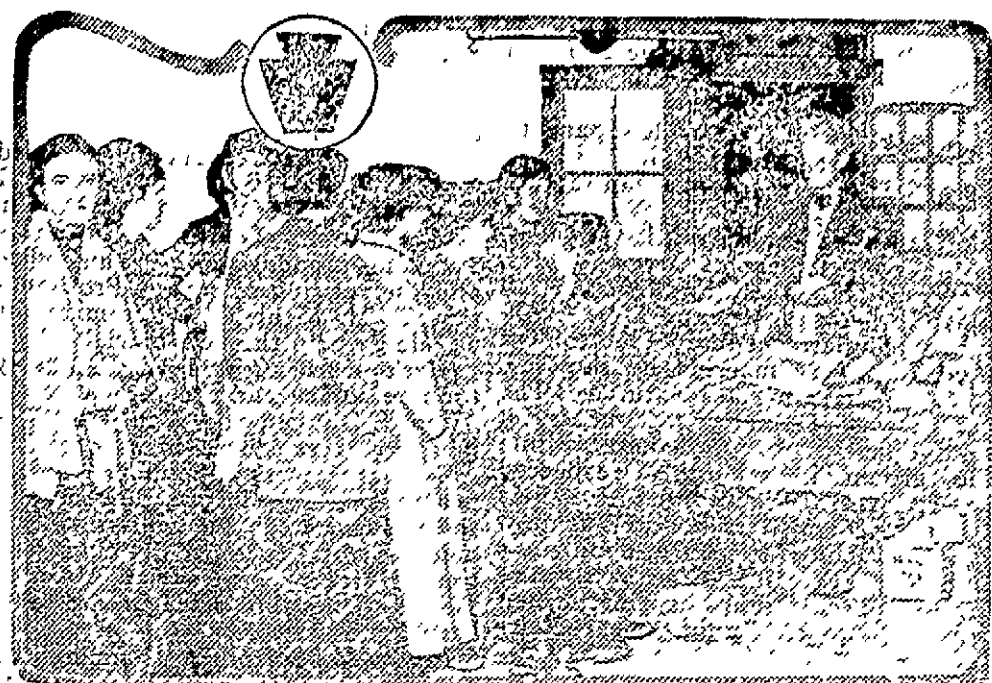
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MAIL FROM HOME



All hands on deck for the mail! Every one of the two thousand patients in the State Tuberculosis Sanatoria at Mont Alto, Cresson and Hamburg looks forward at this time of the year for news and gifts from friends at home. There are also many contributions made by friends of the institutions.

Every mail brings in an avalanche of packages which contain remembrances of all sorts. Gifts of clothing predominate, for the patients spend much of their time out of doors, as life in the open air is one of the essential features of the cure.

The State supplies patients with everything except clothing, and when the thermometer is dodging around zero, extra sweaters, stout shoes, woolen caps and warm gloves make welcome additions to every wardrobe.

The mail hour is always one of interest to those who are spending months away from their families in the struggle to win back their health and strength.

Commissioner of Health Samuel G. Dixon states that experience in Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and New York has shown that patients are better contented when they are far enough away from home to be free from too frequent visits of friends and family.

When the millionaire is seeking health his physician sends him away in order that he may be freed from the cares and responsibilities which usually beset him. So with the rest of us when we are ill; it doesn't pay to be too continually reminded of the responsibilities and cares which we have left behind. To be freed from these for a few months in most cases is an important aid in bringing about a cure.

PEGASUS PETERS

The Story of a Nickname

By CLARISSA WACKIE

Finner Lee was laboriously reading items from a week old newspaper, when his tongue stumbled against a new word.

"Say, Peters," he interjected, "you had some school, didn't you? What's this spell—Pegasus?"

"Pegasus," replied Peters glibly. "Name of a battleship," queried Finner guardedly, "or a new patent medicine?"

"Name of a fellow," explained Peters vaguely, for his schooling had been intermittent and varied by continual change of scene. His father had been a book agent, as well as a widower, and Peters' education had been marred by long gaps between cities. "Name of a fellow," he repeated more positively. "He was an inventor—invented shoe pegs, he ended, with a sudden burst of aspiration.

"Oh, huh, but it sounds kinder funny reading here. Listen." And Finner Lee slowly read, "So Oscar Jones mounted his Pegasus and flew to some enchanted isle, where he composed an other of his deathless poems." What do you make of that, Peters?"

"Oh," answered Peters airily, "same guy named an aeroplane after old Pegasus and flew away to some island. I guess this Oscar Jones could write poetry."

"Yes, it says he wrote a deathless poem. I suppose that means one that's mild and gentle, without a killing in it."

But Peters, the authority on literature, smiled in a superior manner. "A deathless poem," he said, "is one you can't kill, no matter how much you'd like to."

"One of them ladylike poems that you'd like to hide with bullets, only it seems like a cowardly thing to do," growled old Roberts from his chair at the head of the mess table.

But that was not the end of the discussion at the Double X ranch. The next day Finner Lee met the pretty schoolmarm and showed her the newspaper clipping.

How she laughed when she heard Peters' definition of Pegasus! But she spent an agreeable half hour explaining to Finner Lee all about such mythologies, and Finner told the schoolmarm that he had heard the word "Pegasus" and that he was stuck to him.

One April morning Pegasus Peters awoke to the fact that he was in love. At first he had thought it was a dream and took quinine without result. Then he met Miss Sally Barton and danced with her and looked into her deep blue eyes, and as is the custom of those who look too long into deep blue eyes, he fell in love.

The richness of bird songs, the scent of sage in the rare morning air, the lightness of his heart revealed the secret. So he scrubbed his handsome face and brushed his black hair and actually blushed when he met his own gaze in the little mirror that was common property in the bank house of the Double X.

"I say, Pegasus," drawled a voice behind him. "Of course you want to be

right, but she ain't going to be here to be a schoolmarm."

Peters looked at him. "Are you crying?"

"No, I'm not crying," said Sally. "I'm just thinking."

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him, the uneducated man who had made a fool of himself. She was not in love with him. He was only a target for her anger and wit.

Peters' eyes. So she had been the author of the nickname he had given her. He accepted.

With a gasp of lips compressed and a set to the region of his heart, he came to and to guarding the mail hour.

Once he turned around and saw that Sally Barton had arrived. There were two girls and a girl. The sun flashed on the faces of three pairs of eyes.

Oh, Miss Barton's blue eyes were so beautiful.

"Peters," he groaned. Peters groaned and his eyes gathered dangerously.

He was not the intended king of the ranch.

The other two girls would not let him be a schoolmarm.

But he was not without Sally of the blue eyes and trim white hair.

And when he sat there nursing the bitterness in his heart and hating all women because this one had proved deceitful her white face fell upon his ears.

"Good afternoon, Mr. Peters," she called as her calico pony cantered up to him.

Peters doffed his sombrero and looked gravely down at her.

"How do you do?" he asked stiffly.

"Isn't it a glorious day?" bubbled Sally looking very winsome in her blue serge shirt and snowy blouse.

"It's going to rain," he said, looking off toward the hazy ranges.

"Oh, don't say that!" she protested. "We're going to have such a lovely time taking pictures. Don't you want to be in a magazine photograph, Mr. Peters?"

"For more people to laugh at?" he flashed back. "No, thank you, Miss Barton. When you fasten a nickname on a man and make him a butt for jokes don't be surprised if he fails to value your friendship afterward." He replied but sat and rode away to a distant point where he sat as though carved in stone. His face was white, and the muscles of his mouth were drawn and set.

Sally Barton rode back to her friends.

A heavy rain fell out of the darkening sky. It fell right to her face. She did not stir. She mopped. "What sad day!" she said aloud, and it's name was.

"Follow us," said Sally. They're going over to Belmont. Sorry's shown them the way. You better get out this, Miss Barton. These critters are getting ready to stampede."

He rode away, intent upon the business of the women.

Sally Barton hesitated. She was afraid. Oh, for the protection of Peters' strong arm! But he must hate her if he believed she had made game of him.

Fifteen minutes later, when the herd had broken all bounds and gone rushing madly over the plains, Pegasus Peters saw a drenched little form dashing toward him. It was the calico pony, and on his back was a pale, drenched girl who called his name in sobbing gasps.

"Oh I am so frightened!" she cried as he lifted her from the saddle and seated her before him, with her face hidden against his blue flannel breast. "I hope you don't mind?" she shivered.

"I don't mind," he said grimly, and amid the glare and crash of the storm he told her how he had awakened that April morning conscious of love and of the blow he had received from Harlow. "Of course I couldn't marry a wife who despised me," he said simply.

"Oh, it is not so!" she protested and told her side of the story. "I don't care how little book knowledge you have," she whispered. "You have my heart, Donald, and I don't want it back again."

The sun came out, and it was glorious once more.

"I shall always call you Pegasus when you are cross," she threatened when they rode home side by side, and Pegasus grinned bappy assent.

Progress.

The first day he said, "She is the most beautiful girl I have ever seen."

The second day, "She is one of the most beautiful girls I have ever seen."

Third, "She is certainly a beautiful girl."

Fourth, "She is beautiful."

Fifth, "She is rather beautiful."

Sixth, "At times she is beautiful."

Seventh, "She has beauty."

Eighth, "Beautiful? Well, yes."

Ninth, "I shouldn't say she is beautiful, but there are times when she is good looking."

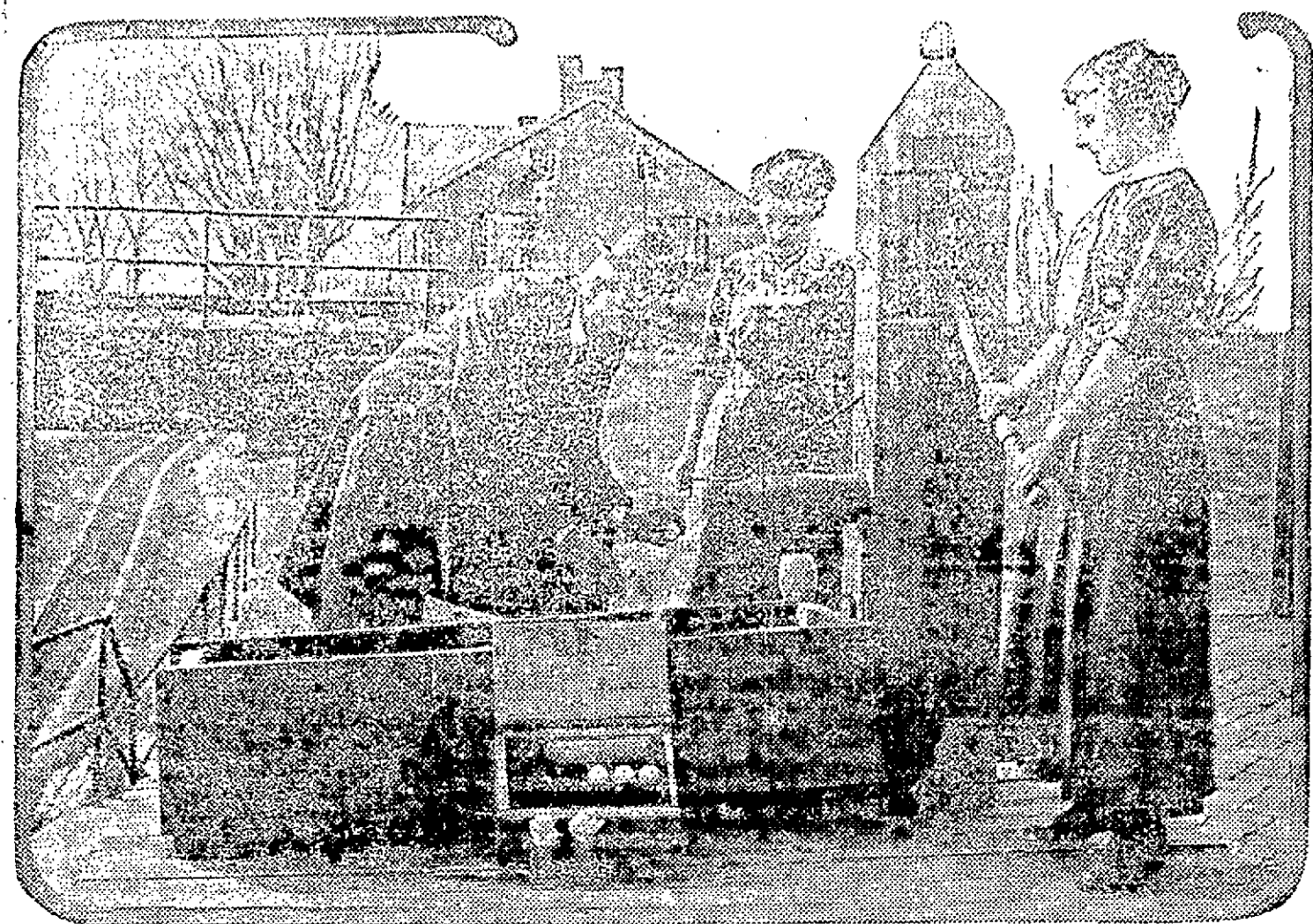
Tenth, "For the past ten days I have been trying to find out whether she has any brains or not. I have decided that she has not. And I remember very well the first time I met her I thought her beautiful—Life."

The Original Wedding Cake.

Our wedding cake is the remains of a custom whereby a Roman bride held in her left hand three wheat ears, and many centuries later an English bride wore on her head a chaplet of wheat. The attendant girls threw corn, either in grains or in small bits of biscuit or cake, upon the heads of the newly married couple, and the guests picked up the pieces and ate them. Such was the beginning of the wedding cake, which did not come into general use until the eighteenth century and was then composed of solid blocks laid together and iced all over with sugar so that when the outer crust was broken over the bride's head the cakes inside fell on the floor and they were then distributed among the company.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

IS THE OLD TOWN PUMP FRIEND OR FOE?



The picturesque town pump, like the old oaken bucket, has endeared itself through long usage to the inhabitants of many of the smaller communities throughout the State. Now and then it falls under suspicion when there is typhoid fever in the vicinity. When one or more cases of this disease occur, inspectors from the State Department of Health invariably make their appearance, secure information to enable them to locate the probable source of the disease, and if conditions seem to point to the water supply samples are taken in sterilized bottles, packed in ice, and forwarded to the Department Laboratory for bacteriological examination.

The work of reducing the annual death toll from typhoid fever has been carried on constantly under the direction of Commissioner of Health Samuel G. Dixon, and after ten years of strenuous work there is 70 per cent less typhoid fever in Pennsylvania than in 1905, when the department was created, which means an annual saving of more than three thousand lives a year, to say nothing of between twenty-five and thirty thousand cases of illness. This work alone has more than justified all the expenditures made for public health work in Pennsylvania.

BARLOW.

The Mt. Joy Sunday School rendered their Christmas service on the evening of Dec. 24.

Music by orchestra; song by the school, "Joy to the World"; responsive reading by the pastor and school; prayer by Rev. Stockslager; address of welcome by Maurice Fisel; exercise and response by eight boys and girls from the Primary Department; song, "Dear Little Baby," Virginia Luckenbaugh, Pauline Weikert and Cathryn Durboraw; recitation, Mary Knight; recitation, Mary Gouker; recitation, Marguerite Sharrett; song by school, "Happy Day," by eight boys and girls from Primary Department; exercise, "What Our Mother Thanks," by four Primaries; exercise, "A Boy's Present," by Wilbur Gouker; exercise, "Drawn from the Desert," by the girls from Intermediate Department; exercise, "Emblems of the Christ Child," by five Primaries; song by the school, "Christmas Praise"; recitation, Mary Little; recitation, John Luckenbaugh; song, "Whiter than Snow," George Stockslager, Russell Durboraw, Luther Luckenbaugh; recitation, Melvin Little; recitation, Robert Williams; exercise, "Snow Shovelers," George Stockslager, Russell Durboraw, Willis Waybright; dialogue, "Christmas Shopping," Mrs. Stockslager, Oneda Gouker, Viola Jacobs and Walter Waybright; recitation and song, "Glory to God," Ruth Reinacker, Gladys Durboraw, Pauline Weikert, Catherine Durboraw, Virginia Luckenbaugh; recitation, Merle Koons; song by school, "Merry Christmas Bells"; recitation, Lester Spangler; recitation, George Koons; exercise by three boys and three girls from Intermediate Department; recitation, Grover Yingling; recitation, Wilbur Plank; song, "Tidings of Joy," by school; recitation, Lloyd Williams; exercise, "Farmer Boys," by five Intermediate boys; recitation, Cordelia Hartman; song by school, "The Christ Child's Lullaby"; exercise, "The Royal Graces," by ten Intermediate girls; recitation, Lucy Knight; recitation, Alverta Rose; exercise, "Christmas Post Office"; song by school, "Glory to God"; recitation, Viola Jacobs; recitation, Marie Weaver; bell drill by eight Intermediate girls; offering; music by orchestra; recitation, Glenn Black; distribution of gifts to Mrs. Stockslager, from her class, the sum of \$10.00; to organist, Miss Keefeaver, \$8.75; choir leader, Mr. D. B. Gouker, \$4.50; to our pastor, Rev. Stockslager, \$2.00 in money and 69 bushels of grain; closing song by the school; benediction.

Arthur Mering of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Mering, Baltimore street.

Your correspondent and wife, with a number of other friends, had the pleasure of spending Christmas Day with the kind and hospitable family of Worley Rudisill and wife of Cumberland township, where a very pleasant day was spent. At noon we were invited to sit down to oysters, roast turkey, and many other good things that fairly made the table groan; also cakes and ice cream. Those present were Worley Rudisill and wife, Mrs. N. M. Horner, A. M. Waybright, O. C. Mering and family, Misses Maggie Waybright, Carrie and Mary Rudisill.

On Jan. 1 a family reunion took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob E. Sharrett in Cumberland township. After a pleasant social time all were invited to the table which fairly groaned under its burden. The menu was an excellent one consisting of oysters in all styles, fruits, bananas, oranges, ice cream, cakes of different kinds and coffee. Those present were, Jacob E. Sharrett and wife, and son Maurice of Gettysburg, Frank Herr and wife, A. T. Luckenbaugh and family, S. D. Weikert and family, O. B. Sharrett and family, Paul Weaver and family, E. H. Benner and wife, and your correspondent and wife.

The communion will be administered at Mt. Joy Church on Sunday morning, Jan. 8, at 10 o'clock; preparatory service the Saturday previous at 2 o'clock. Rev. Stockslager, pastor.

Christian Endeavor News.

The Comments on the C. E. Topic for Jan. 9th, 1916 are by Rev. F. E. Taylor of Gettysburg and the Topic is: Why Join the Church? Eph. 3:18-21.

Because the Church is the institution that represents Christ in the World. By joining our forces with it we perpetuate His teachings and His spirit in the world and by such organization carry on more effectively the work He has commanded to be done. The church is Christ's hands and feet, tongue to speak and heart to love, He directing and inspiring.

The Church is the body of Christ in the world. He is dependent upon it to carry forward the great work of world evangelization. Refusing to unite with the Church means a withholding of yourself from His working body, means that He is by so much hampered and the work He would do through you is never done, Christ yearns for your fellowship in His body, the Church, and waits to pour of His blessing upon you thus joined to His body. He has called every believer to bind himself to Him in the church. Denying Him this, we miss the reward he enjoys who obeys the Master's injunction to be bound in a unity as He and the Father are one.

The Church wins to Christ. It teaches our children the gospel of Jesus our Saviour, and they accept Him as their Saviour. It shields them from temptation in the critical years of their life, and spares them untold loss and sorrow. It builds them up in faith and in spiritual life, and makes them strong as citizens and workers for the uplift of others. Its finished product is a rounded character, strong in faith, godly in life, an example to many. What other institution boasts of such a product? In broad contrast is the product of an institution that takes a life in the image of God, fills it with poison, starts the speedy spread of dry rot, uses up every ounce of positive force for righteousness, stoops the shoulders, furrows and demoralizes the face, shrivels the faculties, destroys independence, truthfulness, honesty, manliness, and takes away the last thing that makes one a man—the will, and then kicks the finished product into the gutter. With which shall we ally ourselves, the institution that makes, or the institution that destroys a life?

Genius of the highest type devotes itself to fashioning an angel from marble, and the task as it proceeds fashions the workman's soul into a flame; how much nobler the work of moulding immortal lives in the likeness of Christ.

It is that we may have part in such a work, we press into the church. To be busy doing good is the best way to keep out of evil. The wood gnats annoy the woodman only when he stops swinging his ax. The proverb puts it; The devil tempts man, but the idle one tempts the devil. Always at good work, you'll never be at evil. And to be farthest from the bad you must be deepest in the good. In the church we are offered the best work, and busy with it you are safe.

The best way to learn to do a thing is to do it, and the best way to achieve a good life is to live it. The Church is the factory where men work out good lives for themselves by helping others to be good. The Church is the fitting school with the Spirit of God the principal teacher. Their souls are trained for a life to which this world life is but a preface.

Into this school enter early. For "it is not easy to straight in the oak, the crook that grew in the sapling." It is well to learn denials from the start in life. "It is much easier to suppress a first desire than to satisfy those that follow." The safe way is safe for us at the very beginning of life. Don't be a foolish sheep and make a wolf your confessor. What a

shock it gives Satan when a crowd of children floods into the Church.

Join the church. Be of the company who are doing the Master's work. Have the inspiration and the blessing, yours to enjoy every day through your life, and have that to reckon with as you compute notes at life's sunset, with the selfish soul that is seeking to win the world, loses not only the world's best here but life hereafter.

The Spirit of Winter.

The Spirit of Winter is with us, making its presence known in many different ways—sometimes by cheery sunshine and glistering snows, and sometimes by driving winds and blinding storms. To many people it seems to take a delight in making bad things worse, for rheumatism twists harder, twinges sharper, catarrhs become more annoying, and the many symptoms of scrofula are developed and aggravated. There is not much poetry in this, but there is truth, and it is a wonder that more people don't get rid of these ailments. The medicine that cures them—Hood's Sarsaparilla—is easily obtained and there is abundant proof that it cures are radical and permanent.

Needs of Hoffman Orphanage.

In the interest of the George W. and Agnes Hoffman Orphanage, near Littlestown, a special plea is being made by the superintendent, Rev. J. Stewart Hartman. This home is under the control of the Potomac Synod of the Reformed Church and all the congregations within the bounds of the synod are its supporters.

So many children have been denied admission during the year because of the lack of accommodations that it is the hope of the management that the Christmas offering this year will be sufficient to carry the institution through the year and provide a fund which will justify the board of directors to break ground in the very near future for a new cottage. During a period of eighteen months, more children have been denied admission and appeals discouraged than are under the care of the institution at present.

In order that the children of the orphanage may have a merry Christmas, the organizations of many of the Reformed Churches have made generous provisions to furnish them with gifts.

The Reformed churches in Adams counties are usually most generous in their donations to the institution.

Officers Elected.

The following officers were elected Thursday evening by Good Samaritan Royal Arch Chapter: Most Excellent High Priest, George W. Baker; King, Howard S. Slagle; Scribe, Charles Raffensperger; Secretary, W. S. Schroeder; Treasurer, I. Elmer Musselman; Trustees, W. S. Schroeder, I. Elmer Musselman and James Caldwell; representative in the Grand Chapter, W. S. Schroeder.

Some unknown person took the team of Isaac W. Fisher on last Saturday evening while he was in Cash-ton attending to some business, and drove it into the mountain between the places of John Baker and Amos Newman where they tied it to a tree and fled. The horse stood there unharmed until the following afternoon when it was discovered by Billie Baker.

While Peter Gebhart, of Bonneauville, was attending to some business in Hanover one evening last week he hitched his team, and when he returned several hours later he found his team gone. He was unable to locate it until a farmer living near Conowingo Chapel notified him that his horse had been left at his barn and he discovered it when he fed his stock. Later the buggy was also recovered.

J. ALLEN KANE of near Arendtsville shot a fine specimen of gray fox while gunning on Lake Hill last Tuesday.

Expense Didn't Bother Him.

That the East Indian of wealth is a luxury loving individual and cares no more for his expenses than does the Pittsburgh millionaire for dollars when entertaining is shown by the following example.

One afternoon an Indian gentleman, clad in gorgeous, lustrous garments, entered the city of Gettysburg in an automobile from California. The visitor was met by the city engineer, who proceeded to explain the various good points of five electric vehicles on exhibition. The Indian stepped him with a wave of his stick and said:

"Send them to my palace at once."

"Which one?" asked the surprised salesman.

"All of them," was the answer.

The purchaser was the nephew of Maharajah, and the above incident is related by T. K. Stuart, an American electrical engineer, who knows India by heart from long experience.

An Old London Paper.

On Sept. 8, 1916, a special number of the London Gazette was issued, the reason being, as described in its first paragraph: "The ordinary course of this paper having been interrupted by a sad and lamentable accident of fire lately happened in the city of London. It hath been thought fit for satisfying the minds of so many of his majesty's good subjects, who must needs be concerned for the issue of so great an accident, to give this short, but true, account of it."

The first number had been published on Nov. 14, 1665, when the court was at Oxford on account of the great plague, and the paper was therefore called at first the Oxford Gazette. With its twenty-fourth number, however, it became the London Gazette, by which name it has been known ever since.

Boys and Playgrounds.

I do not know of any better way to teach a boy to be honorable and straight than to give him a chance to play with his comrades, says Justice Hughes. In the playground he learns because he does not want anybody else to cheat him, and he is "down" on the boy that cheats and play fair; he will establish standards of conduct which will be maintained in the community, and particularly in our great cities. If there is one thing that we need more than another it is the constant emphasis among our citizens of that spirit of fair play, that willingness to give and take, that generosity in defeat and that lack of assertiveness in victory which we identify with true sport and which is learned best of all in childhood upon the playground.—Chicago Journal.

A Singular Marriage Custom.

The Kurds have a very curious and somewhat dangerous marriage custom, which one would think would be more honored in the breach than in the observance. The husband, surrounded by a bodyguard of twenty or thirty young men, carries his wife home on his back in a scarlet cloth and is desperately assaulted the whole way by a number of girls. Sticks and stones are hurled at the bridegroom, who in the coming home with his bride can hardly be considered a very happy man, for theirate amazons often inflict on him marks which he carries to the grave. It may be that among the lady pursuers are some of the bridegroom's former "flames," who turn the mock attack into downright earnest to avenge slighted love.

Baby's Skin Troubles.

Pimples—Eruptions—Eczema quickly yield to the soothing and healing qualities of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. No matter where located, how bad or long standing, Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment will remove every trace of the ailment. It will restore the skin to its natural softness and purity. Don't let your child suffer—don't be embarrassed by having your child's face disfigured with blemishes or ugly scars. Use Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Its guarantee. No cure, no pay. 50c. at your Druggist.

Advertisement.

JESSE LEMON has sold his farm in Mt. Joy township to Arthur Gitt of near Littlestown. Mr. Lemon will go to Waynesboro where he will sell bread for the O. I. M. Houck bakery of Hanover.

\$100 Reward.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Advertisement.

Mrs. S. E. SNEDEKER of Aspers received an unusual gift at Christmas consisting of a box of Ostich plumes from an ostrich farm in Arizona sent by her brother Prof. Curtis E. Cook of Phoenix, Arizona. Prof. Cook attended college at Gettysburg.

Many People Don't Know.

A sluggish liver can cause a person an awful lot of misery. Spells of dizziness, headache, constipation and biliousness are sure signs that your liver needs help. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills and see how they help tone up the whole system. Fine for the stomach too. Aids digestion. Purifies the blood and clears the complexion. Only 25c. at your Druggist.

Advertisement.

For Rheumatism.

As soon as an attack of Rheumatism begins apply Sloan's Liniment. Don't waste time and suffer unnecessarily. A few drops of Sloan's Liniment on the affected parts is all you need. The pain goes at once.

A grateful sufferer writes: "I was suffering for three weeks with Chronic Rheumatism and Stiff Neck, although I tried many medicines, they failed. Fortunately I heard of Sloan's Liniment and after using it three or four days am up and well. I am employed at the biggest department store in S. F. where they employ from six to eight hundred hands, and they surely will hear all about Sloan's Liniment. H. B. Smith, San Francisco, Cal.—Jan. 1915. 25c. at all Druggists."

Advertisement.

A. H. ROGERS of York County has bought a 15 acre timber tract for Harry J. March of East Berlin. The tract is situated near Hampton and will be sawed out in the Spring, when Mr. Rogers and family will move to East Berlin.

Women of Sedentary Habits.

Women who get but little exercise are likely to be troubled with constipation and indigestion and will find Chamberlain's Tablets highly beneficial. Not so good as a three or four mile walk every day, but very much better than to allow the bowels to remain in a constipated condition. They are easy and pleasant to take and most agreeable in effect. Obtainable everywhere.

Advertisement.

WHILE Amos Miller of near Idaville was in Harrisburg several days before Christmas selling ferns and wreaths he was attacked and robbed of \$48 by a colored man. Miller has since identified the man who has been arrested and held under \$1000 bail for court.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

WHILE engaged in cutting wood at the farm of Paul Weaver, Cumberland township, Kenneth Plank son of Roy Plank of same township, cut a gash about five inches long in his foot, when his axe slipped and struck him.

TAKING baby up at night is often the cause of bad colds. Use Dr. Farrney's Teething Syrup and stay in bed 25c.

Advertisement.

GEORGE S. HUMMER and W. H. Kohler of New Oxford appointed to appraise the estate of the late Jacob S. Laughlinbaugh of that place, estimated the personal property at \$947.29 and the real estate at \$6000, making a total of \$6947.29 for the entire estate.

The Test of It.

"Last December I had a very severe cold and was nearly down sick in bed. I bought two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it was only a very few days until I was completely restored to health," writes O. J. Metcalf, Weatherby, Mo. If you would know the value of this remedy, ask any one who has used it. Obtainable everywhere.

Advertisement.

CHAUNCEY COLESTOCK, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Colestock of New Oxford, formerly of Gettysburg was one of 127 candidates who successfully passed the examination for assistant pharmacist held in Philadelphia. There were 186 in the class.

Bad Cold Quickly Broken Up.

Mrs. Martha Wilcox, Gowanda, N. Y. writes: "I first used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy about eight years ago. At that time I had a hard cold and coughed most of the time. It proved to be just what I needed. It broke up the cold in a few days, and the cough entirely disappeared. I have told many of my friends of the good I received through using this medicine, and all who have used it speak of it in the highest terms." Obtainable everywhere.

Advertisement.

Miss Mathilda Deamer of Hanover, died recently at a Baltimore hospital following an operation. Mrs. Deamer's body weighed 502 pounds and when the undertaker shipped it, he had to move the casket out through one of the large windows of his store.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*

Advertisement.

George Dock, a student at Dartmouth College and a nephew of the Misses Dock of near Graffenburg, will sail for France early in the Spring where he has volunteered as a driver for the American Ambulance automobiles operating in that country. He is also experienced in wireless telegraphy.

DR. FAHRENEY'S Teething Syrup is the best remedy for any sickness baby gets, no matter how young or how old. Try it.

Advertisement.

DANIEL WORLEY has sold his two dwelling houses situated in Midway to William Arentz of Mt. Joy township who will move to that town in the Spring. Mr. Worley has bought Mr. Arentz's 46 acre farm and will occupy the same in April.

FERN, languid, weak, run "down"? Headache? Stomach "off"? A good remedy is Burdock Blood Bitters. Ask your druggist. Price \$1.00.

Advertisement.

Mrs. Anna Schriver a widow of St. Louis, Mo. died recently in that city from the effects of hair dye, which she used to dye her hair from black to auburn. The preparation was composed of leaves and chemicals, and the poison entered her scalp and gradually paralyzed her entire body.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. For burns, scalds, cuts and emergencies. All druggists sell it. 25c and 50c.

Advertisement.

CHARLES WIGGLE of Heidlersburg has bought the Mrs. Peter Yeatts property in that place and has taken possession, opening up a store in the building.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

More than 20,000,000 pounds of coal have been dredged from the Susquehanna river by a York Haven concern since the early fall.

A LAZY liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation,—weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulents (25c per box) act mildly on the liver and bowels. At all drug stores.

Advertisement.

HARRY R. THOMPSON who has been a patient at the York Hospital since the 4th. of October, has sufficiently recovered from several operations to return to the home of Miley Shaffer in Reading township.

For any itchininess of the skin, for skin rashes, chaps, pimples, etc., try Doan's Ointment. 50c at all drug stores.

Advertisement.

NINE fine turkeys were stolen on a recent night from J. A. Cleveland of Latimore township.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM
A hair preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and \$1.00 at Druggists.

Advertisement.

The teams of John Brough and Benton Snyder collided on main street of York Spring on last Friday night. A piece of shaft penetrated the neck of Mr. Snyder's horse to the depth of eight inches, but it is thought the animal will recover.

Fever Sores.

Fever sores and old chronic sores should not be healed entirely, but should be kept in healthy condition. This can be done by applying Chamberlain's Salve. This salve has no superior for this purpose. It is also most excellent for chapped hands, sore nipples, burns and diseases of the skin. For sale by The Peoples Drug Store.

Advertisement.

GEORGE KETTERMAN, employed at the saw mill of David McClellan near Fairfield was kicked in the face by a mule and had both jaw bones broken and several teeth knocked out. He is being cared for at the Chambersburg hospital.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

CHARGED with attacking Mrs. Hess of Reading township several weeks ago, Albert Elmsig a junk dealer aged 21 years managed to evade the York police until a patrolman found him several days ago hiding under a bed in a room.

Stomach Troubles Cured.

If you have any trouble with your stomach you should take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. P. Klote of Edina, Mo., says: "I have used a great many different different medicines for stomach trouble, but find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used." For sale by The Peoples Drug Store.

Advertisement.

JOHN A. KINTER has sold his property at Mount Top to Harry F. Myers of that place for \$4300. Mr. Kinter will move to Dillsburg in the Spring.

Constipation and Indigestion.

"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets and must say they are the best I have ever used for constipation and indigestion. My wife also used them for indigestion and they did her good," writes Eugene S. Knight, Wilmington, N. C. Obtainable everywhere.

Advertisement.

STATE ZOOLOGIST H. A. SURFACE has estimated that the damage done by common rats alone in this state in one year amounts to \$5,000,000.

SAVED BY A POSTAL

Thousands Have Been Cured By Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy—Lives Saved by a Postal Card.

They wrote for a few trial bottles, and were so much pleased with the general results obtained that they bought a large size bottle of their drug—and it benefited or cured them. It has cured thousands—and it will cure you. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is of the greatest value for diseases of the kidneys, liver and blood; rheumatism, constipation and illnesses peculiar to women. Stops such dangerous symptoms as pain in the back, headache, back of eyes, inability to hold urine, burning pains and frequent urination. Wonderfully successful for nervous ailments. Write today to Dr. David Kennedy Co., Rondout, N. Y., for a free sample bottle and medical pamphlet. Large bottles sold by all druggists.

Advertisement.

WILLIAM BROWN MURDERED

A FEW MILES BELOW LITTLESTOWN ACROSS MD. LINE.

Body Dragged a Half Mile Across the Country to a Woods.

William F. Brown, a young farmer 29 years old, son of William Brown, and a brother of Mrs. J. I. Burgoon and Miss Gertrude Brown of Springs avenue, this place, was brutally murdered on his farm about three miles below Littlestown across the line in Maryland. The murder was committed on New Year's Day and was the work of an 18 year old colored boy, Solomon Suttler, in the employ of Mr. Brown.

Mr. Brown was in the barn milking when Suttler struck him over the head with a cobbler stone causing a wound as large as a man's fist and exposing the brain. Death is believed was instantaneous. The instrument causing the wound has not been found on the premises. The body was then dragged from the stable and thrown over the barn yard fence. Then the murderer tied a rope around the body, hitched a horse to the rope and dragged the body across a plowed field and through an orchard to a woods about half a mile from the scene of the crime, where he left it. Then he mounted the horse and rode home. He told Mrs. Brown he was going away and asked if he should lock the front door when he went out. She replied "yes." After dressing he started for a neighbor's where he met a chum. They reached Silver Run and went to Westminster by the Littlestown bus. They then proceeded by a bus to Reisterstown and started toward Baltimore. The companion has been caught and states that Suttler told him of the murder and later when they found shelter for the night as they went toward Baltimore, he awoke to find that Suttler had disappeared. The companion is being held as a witness.

Mrs. Brown, having charge of her sick baby, retired early Saturday evening. She awoke about midnight and finding her husband missing, became alarmed and went to the barn for him. There she found the lantern turned very low, hanging from a nail in the cow stable, having been placed there by her husband early in the evening. Not being able to account for his continued absence, she made several trips to the barn during the night. At an early hour Sunday morning she went to the home of Murray Maserheimer, who was frequently employed by her husband, and they began the search. Finding blood stains on the straw in the cow stable, they tracked them to the barn yard fence, the trail leading to the woods, where the lifeless body was found, partly hidden in a clump of bushes and undergrowth.

The sheriff and coroner of Carroll county were notified and after a preliminary inquest the body was removed to the house.

Mr. Brown had about thirty dollars in his pocketbook when murdered, and this was missing when the dead body was found. He had paid Murray Maserheimer for some labor Saturday afternoon, and was seen putting the money back in his pocket book by the negro, and this is supposed to have offered the motive for the tragedy.

Mr. Brown was a well-to-do young farmer and resided on his father's farm, better known as the old David Feuser homestead, about 3 1/2 miles south of Littlestown. He was held in high esteem by all who knew him. He was for several years secretary of the Sunday School of the Lutheran Church, Silver Run. The funeral held on Wednesday, attracted the largest assemblage ever held in Silver Run. The services were conducted by Rev. I. Luther Hoffman.

The surviving wife was Miss Esther Kaufman of Westminster, having been married two years ago and they had a daughter a year old. There also survives the father, Wm. Brown, of Gettysburg, a brother Edward Brown of Union Mills, and three sisters, Mrs. Benton Vingling of Silver Run, Mrs. J. I. Burgoon and Miss Gertrude Brown of Gettysburg.

A reward of \$500 has been offered for the apprehension of the murderer one half by the Carroll county authorities and the other half by the Brown family.

When Suttler left he was dressed in a light suit of clothes, tan shoes and spotted cap and with his hair cropped short. He is 5 feet 11 inches tall and weighs 157 pounds.

Solomon Suttler was captured on Wednesday night in Cumberland by Assistant Chief of Police Clay Wilson of that city. At first he denied his identity but later admitted that he was the man wanted. The Carroll county authorities have taken him to the Baltimore City jail where he will likely be kept until the trial. He made a confession to the chief of police. It was as follows:

"I then dragged him through the field by myself."

(Signed) SOLOMON SUTTLE. Witnesses: J. Thomas Eisenhauer, Clay Wilson, Isaac D. Boyd.

He was arrested while walking from one saloon to another. States Attorney Seabrook of Carroll county promises a speedy trial.

New Bench Holds First Court.

President Judge Donald P. McPherson and his associates, W. Howard Dicks and E. P. Miller, held their first session of court on Monday morning. Judge Dicks had been sworn in last Friday and Saturday afternoon Judge McPherson and Judge Miller took the oath of office before Prothonotary Mehning in latter's office.

At the first session of the new Bench on Monday morning nearly all the attorneys, the retiring and new county officials and a number of other citizens were present. A large bouquet of roses and carnations was on the judges' bench. At the judges entered the audience arose and remained standing until the court was formally opened by the crier.

Before taking up the business of the sessions President Judge McPherson addressed those present as follows:

"Before proceeding to the transaction of any business I wish to address, on behalf of the members of the Court, a few words to the members of the Bar now present and, through them, to those who may be absent.

"The grave responsibilities of the office we have just assumed and that a faithful and impartial performance of its duties should be our aim, are fully realized by us. We pledge you our best efforts to meet its responsibilities successfully and to perform its duties acceptably. Success in these efforts is our special desire and to that end we bespeak the hearty co-operation of the Bar. The Court has toward each member of the Bar a most kindly feeling and it will be our constant endeavor to treat with courtesy, consideration and impartiality each member of it. That you may reciprocate this kindly feeling and be prompted to extend to the office the courtesy and consideration due it, is the earnest wish of each of us.

"With such a mutual feeling of friendliness and regard, productive, as it always is, of good will and forbearance, we are confident that the transaction of the business before the Court will be accomplished in an orderly and expeditious manner to the advantage of you and us, your clients and the community at large.

"We wish each of you a happy and prosperous New Year and trust that our relations, official and personal, may continue those of mutual esteem and regard."

Exceptions were filed to the inquest awarded in estate of Chas. Weirick, in which it was alleged that Bert Myrick, the petitioner for the inquest, had no interest in the real estate.

The election of Elizabeth Spangler to accept provisions of the will of her deceased husband, W. W. Spangler, late of Tyrone township, were filed and ordered to be recorded.

The return of sale of real estate of Henry P. Barbehenn, late of Gettysburg, to Katie Barbehenn, made by Lewis Barbehenn, Adm'r., was confirmed nisi, to be confirmed absolute March 31st.

The account of the Citizens' Trust Company, guardian of Gertrude L. Spangler, minor child of Mary Spangler was confirmed and guardian discharged.

Citizens' Trust Company was appointed trustee of fund for use of Ida M. Hart in estate of Henry Hart, deceased.

Estelle B. Spangler was discharged as administratrix of Chas. J. Spangler, late of Mt. Joy township.

The sale of real estate made by L. F. Brown and H. T. Brown, executors of Anna M. Brown, late of Oxford township, was confirmed.

J. L. Hill, Esq., was appointed auditor to make distribution of fund in estate of J. C. Trimmer, deceased.

The widow's list under \$500 law in estate of Chas. H. Rummel, late of Butler township, was confirmed nisi, to be confirmed absolute if there are no exceptions within 20 days.

In the execution process between W. H. Parr vs. Wm. T. Wolf four interpleaders were filed for property claimed by Sarah J. Rhodes, Savilla Deardorff, Jacob A. Dentler, and Sadie A. Fair.

The Gettysburg Water Company asked for the appointment of viewers to appraise the land taken by the company from Wm. A. and Mary J. Bigham for its purposes and the Associate Judges appointed as viewers M. L. Power of Littleton township, S. Miley Miller and C. W. Stoner, Esq. of Gettysburg and Jan. 18 was fixed for meeting of the viewers.

Louis Weigand was discharged as administrator of John Weygand, late of Gettysburg.

Harry L. Snyder was discharged as executor of Susan Lightner, late of Gettysburg.

Harry L. Snyder was discharged as trustee to sell the real estate of John C. Creager, late of Straban township.

Banquet for Employees.

The Fifth Annual Banquet of the Reaser Furniture Company in honor of its employees was held last Saturday evening in the dining hall at St. James' Church and one hundred and thirty-seven guests sat down to the very excellent menu served by

the ladies of the Mite Society and the ladies at the conclusion of the feast received a vote of thanks. The S. S. Orchestra furnished the music.

Judge Donald P. McPherson presided as toastmaster and Mr. C. S. Reaser who was compelled to be at home on account of the grip, sent a message delivered by Judge E. P. Miller. John D. Keith, Esq., responded to the toast, "The Compensation Act," and explained the new system that would go into effect Jan. 1, a system to give the employees better protection and that it invited the co-operation of the employee to eliminate every possible danger and risk.

Town Fathers Organize.

The Town Council organized on Tuesday evening for the year notwithstanding complications. Burgess Eicholtz presided. All members were present except Martin Winter who has not fully recovered from recent illness. The councilmen of the town are Dougherty, Funkhouser and Geiselman of the First Ward; Gilbert, Winter and Swift, of the Second Ward; J. W. McDonnell, Trostle and E. C. Tawney, of the Third Ward.

In organizing Dougherty, McDonnell and Funkhouser were placed in nomination for president of Council. The vote stood, Dougherty 4, McDonnell 2. In the event of a tie the Burgess casts a ballot and his vote was for McDonnell, but before the latter was declared elected Captain Gilbert objected to the ballot that E. C. Tawney had voted and was not yet qualified, having failed to file an expense account as required by law. Mr. Tawney admitted that he had neglected this qualification. The Act of 1906 declares that no person shall enter upon the duties of his office until he has filed such account. A second ballot resulted in 5 votes for Dougherty and 2 for Funkhouser.

C. B. Kitzmiller was unanimously re-elected Secretary. Philip Bickle and Charles Swisher were nominated for Treasurer and voted stood, Bickle 5, Swisher 2.

Edward Newman for Street Commissioner, and Joseph Carver for Janitor were elected unanimously. For policemen six names were placed in nomination: Horace E. Smiley, A. V. Weikert, John Shearer, John Fleishman, C. W. Culp and Norman Swartz. The first ballot resulted, Smiley 6, Weikert 3, Shealer 2, Culp 2, Swartz 1. Mr. Smiley was declared elected. Second ballot resulted, Weikert 5, Shealer 2. Smiley was named chief unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned to next Monday evening, and a motion prevailed making the regular meeting night of council the first Tuesday of each month.

After Monday evening's session Mr. Tawney filed his statement with the Clerk of the Courts, declaring election expenses of less than \$50, and he was then re-sworn by Burgess Eicholtz, as a member of the Council.

New Commissioners Organize.

On Monday the new Commissioners, Harry B. Slagle, Harry J. March and Edward C. Keefer met and organized by electing Mr. Slagle president and Mr. Keefer secretary.

The first business of the new board was the election of a clerk and while the field has been a large one for weeks, the naming of a clerk had narrowed to two, G. Allen Yohe, who had been defeated for prothonotary by two votes, and J. Harry Holtzworth. Mr. Yohe was elected the clerk and at once started upon his duties. He will be assisted for three months by the former clerk, George W. Baker, who will receive the customary salary of \$250 for the time. Joseph Gailbraith of the Third Ward was chosen Janitor of the Court House at \$300 per annum, and Dr. H. L. Diehl was selected as physician to the jail.

Alms House Appointments.

The new board of Poor Directors, P. P. Eisenhart, Clinton A. Rife and M. A. L. Trostle organized by electing P. P. Eisenhart president and the following appointments were made: H. A. Sheely Steward and Mrs. Sheely Matron; Dr. H. M. Hartman Physician; Harry Stambaugh Secretary; William Weaver Treasurer; C. E. Stable Attorney; Mr. and Mrs. John Meads day nurses; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Plank night nurses; Conrad Smith first teamster; Benjamin Stoops second teamster; James McGugan janitor; Elmer March keeper of the Old Men's Department, and Miss Maria Schwartz seamstress.

County Auditors.

County Auditors L. B. Slaybaugh, Robt. B. Myers and Geo. A. Aughinbaugh began their work on Monday and organized by electing Mr. Slaybaugh president and Mr. Aughinbaugh as secretary.

At a joint meeting of County Commissioners and County Auditors the percentage of the County Treasurer as 2 1/2 per cent. on the amount paid out was fixed as the Treasurer's salary, being the same as fixed in former years.

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DEATH OF EMINENT DIVINE

REV. DR. DAVID WILLS, A NATIVE OF MUMMASBURG.

Samuel Faber, One of the Oldest Citizens of Town Passed Away in His 90th Year.

Rev. Dr. David Wills died at his home in Washington, D. C., on Thursday at the great age of 93 years, 11 months and 23 days. He had the distinction of being one of the oldest men in the country who had served in the U. S. Army. He was a native of Adams county, having been born at Mummasburg and his affection for the county in which he first saw the light of day was cherished and seemed to grow with his years, and almost annual pilgrimages to Gettysburg and Mummasburg were made for many years. Dr. Wills was an eminent divine in the Presbyterian Church, and won distinction in his work. The family went from this county to Tennessee, and taking up the ministry he served churches in the Southern States until 1870 to 1874 was president of Oglethorpe University. He was a chaplain in the Regular Army from 1879 to 1886. He leaves four sons and two daughters. He was a brother-in-law of the late Henry J. Brinkerhoff of Gettysburg.

Samuel Faber, one of the oldest citizens of Gettysburg, died last Saturday at his West Middle street home at the age of 89 years, 9 months and 19 days. He was a native of York county and moved to this place early in life, conducting stores at Table Rock, Two Taverns and White Hall. Forty-nine years ago he became a resident of Gettysburg and for over 40 years conducted a cigar store and manufacturing plant in this place, retiring from business in 1911. He was a member of Trinity Reformed Church of Gettysburg, and of the Hanover Lodge of Odd Fellows, and was a life-long Democrat. The funeral was held on Tuesday, services by Dr. T. J. Barkley and Rev. D. M. Moser, and services at grave in Evergreen Cemetery were at his request in charge of the Odd Fellows. His wife died about 26 years ago and he leaves a daughter and two sons, Miss Emma L. Faber, Edgar S. Faber, and Geo. B. Faber, all of Gettysburg.

Jacob L. Toot, a life-long resident of Straban township, died at his home on last Saturday after an illness of nine months from cancer, aged 61 years, 9 months and 13 days. He was a son of the late Jacob and Maria Toot and born in Straban township, where he followed farming all his life. He was an active Democratic politician in his township and as such became well known throughout the county. He was a member of the Hunterstown Grange and of Salem United Brethren Church. The funeral was held on Tuesday with interment in the Evergreen Cemetery. He leaves a wife, who was Miss Mary Bucher of Straban township, and one daughter, Mrs. Howard Trostle of the same township. One brother and three sisters survive. William Toot of York, Mrs. George J. Grove, Miss Ella Toot of Gettysburg, and Mrs. David Eckert living on York pike, near town.

Rev. Upton A. L. E. Hankey, a Lutheran minister, pastor of a church at New Kensington, died on Monday in his 60th year. Death was due to long illness from cancer. He was a son of John Hankey of Chambersburg street. He was born in Freeborn township and graduated from Gettysburg College in 1877 and from the Seminary here in 1881. He served a number of churches and has spent a number of years at New Kensington. He married Miss Hannah Gettler, a daughter of Stephen Gettler, of this county, who survives, also his father and three sisters, Mrs. John Dutterow, Mrs. Vincent Garlick of Hanover, and Mrs. Annie King of Mt. Joy township. The body was brought to Gettysburg on Wednesday and funeral held same day, services by Dr. J. A. Clutz, and interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

Rev. Clifton G. White, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Millersburg, died last Saturday from a cancerous growth, aged 38 years. He was a native of Lancaster county, graduated from Gettysburg College in 1897, and from the Seminary here in 1900. He spent nine years as pastor of the Chambersburg Trinity Lutheran Church and in 1909 went to the Millersburg charge. He had been very successful in his pastorates. He was a popular athlete while in college here and was fond of out-door sports. He leaves a wife, three brothers and a sister, one of his brothers being Uriah G. White, who graduated from college in 1903.

Vincent Pius Little, Burgess of McSherrystown, and one of the town's best known citizens, died on last Friday. He was walking along the street, when stricken with paralysis and being carried to his home never recovered consciousness. He was in his 63rd year. He was a son of Anthony and Maria Little and thrice married, first to Miss Mary Storm, who died in 1885, then to Miss Emma Weaver, who died eight years ago. Six years ago he married Miss Margaret O'Farrell, who survives, also two daughters and one son, Mrs. Frank Lawrence and George Little

of McSherrystown. Mrs. Pius Topper of Philadelphia. Two brothers and six sisters survive. John and Jacob Little, Mrs. Agnes Fink, Mrs. Emma Dunn, Mrs. Alice Miller, Mrs. A. J. Brady and Miss Clara Little of McSherrystown, and Mrs. Levi Lawrence of Mt. Rock. He had been Burgess of his town for the past two years. Previously he had served terms in the town council. He was the treasurer of St. Mary's Beneficial Society, a member of the McSherrystown Fire Company, and a member of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. For many years he had charge of St. Mary's parish picnic. The funeral was held from St. Mary's Church on Monday, with requiem high mass by Rev. Fr. Reudter, interment in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Charles K. Orndorff died on last Friday in Hanover in his 76th year. He was a son of the late Peter and Susan Orndorff of near Hampton, Adams county. He was a veteran of the Civil War, in Co. G, 165th Penna. Regt., and Co. G, 7th Regt. He married Miss Corbette Wolter who died 18 years ago. Since the death of his wife he has been living with his daughter in Hanover. The funeral was on Monday. He leaves the following children: Miss Mary Catherine Orndorff of Hanover; Vincent P. Orndorff of Doucencville; Francis A. Orndorff and Mrs. Charles Carr of Hanover, and Charles E. Orndorff of York.

H. Albert Fissel of Tyrone township died Dec. 31 from dropsy in his 57th year. He followed farming and carpentering during his life and was a member of the Union Reformed Church. The funeral was held on Tuesday, services and interment at the church to which he belonged. He leaves his mother, Mrs. Jesse Fissel; his wife, two daughters and two sons, Mrs. Isaac Beam and Mrs. Edward Hoffman of Gardeners Station; Elmer Fissel and Charles Fissel at home. He also leaves a sister, Mrs. S. L. Topper of Aspers, and a brother J. H. Fissel, of Harrisburg.

Mrs. Magdalena Goodenberger, wife of Jacob Goodenberger, a former Director of the Poor of the county, died at her home in Berwick township, on last Friday, aged 70 years, 2 months and 28 days. Death was due to cancer. She was born in the house in which she died. She was well known and was a life-long member of the Lutheran Church at Abbottstown. The funeral was held on Tuesday with interment in the Lutheran Cemetery at Abbottstown. She leaves besides her husband two daughters and a son, Mrs. Margaret Bortner, Mrs. Emma Berkheimer of York, and Lewis Goodenberger of Thomasville. She leaves three sisters, Mrs. George Wilkinsin, Mrs. Mary Nagie and Mrs. George Mouri, all of near Abbottstown.

Francis M. Timmins died suddenly at his home in Baltimore from paralysis on Monday aged 68 years. He was a native of this county and served a term as Clerk of the Courts of the county. He took up the plumbing business afterwards, followed it here for several years and moved to Baltimore 19 years ago. He had been employed in a bicycle establishment in the city recently. The funeral was in Baltimore on Monday. He leaves a wife and four sons, Guy and Merle Timmins of Baltimore, Conrad Timmins of York, and Chas. Timmins of Gettysburg.

Mrs. Mary C. Stoner, wife of Chas. Stoner, the late her home near Selts Station on last Sunday in her 68th year. She was born near Westminster and married C. B. Stoner 37 years ago, living at her last home 33 years. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of McSherrystown. She leaves besides her husband, four children, S. Brooks Stoner of Muddy Creek Forks, Pa.; Mrs. J. Emory Hostetter of Littleton; Wm. P. Stoner of near Hanover, and Mrs. Carl G. Greenlee at home.

Mrs. Adam Lupp of Menallen township died on last Friday in her 81st year. The funeral was held on Monday, interment at Arendtsville. She leaves these children: Reuben Lupp of Brysonia; Mrs. David Nary of Arendtsville; Amos S. Lupp of Carlisle; Mrs. Henry Hess of Gettysburg; Oscar Lupp of Gettysburg; Mrs. Wilbur Cook of Flora Dale; Mrs. Geo. Culp of Menallen township; Mrs. M. Minter of near Brysonia. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. John Nagie of Carlisle.

Mrs. Mary Ann Deardorff, wife of Anthony Deardorff of Mummasburg, died last Saturday from paralysis, after a ten weeks' illness, aged 38 years, 6 months and 16 days. The funeral was held on Tuesday, interment in Arendtsville Cemetery. She leaves besides her husband the following children: Harvey A. Deardorff of Elizabeth, N. J.; Mrs. Myrtle V. Strausbaugh of New Oxford; Mrs. Clara V. Hartman, Mrs. Lena V. Cullison, and Luther L. Deardorff of Mummasburg; Mrs. Alora A. Allison and Misses Anna M., Katie E., Bernadetta C. and Susie I. Deardorff at home. She is survived by these brothers and sisters, Wesley Wolf, of Hanover; Amos Wolf of Mummasburg; Mrs. Susan A. Sutter of Jennings, Louisiana, and Mrs. Sarah Glaken of Emmitsburg.

Mrs. Isaac Lawver of Orrtanna, died on Monday from cancer aged 72 years, 7 months and 23 days. The funeral was held on Thursday with (Continued on page 8.)

PERSONAL POINTS OF VIEW

COMINGS AND GOINGS INTO AND OUT OF THE TOWN.

Social and Other Individual Happenings and Other Local Items of Interest.

—Miss Hannah Boyle has returned to her home on West High street after spending the holidays with relatives in Hazleton.

—Miss Gail Greenawalt of Chambersburg is visiting her sister, Mrs. John W. Brehm, on Broadway.

—Miss Caroline Bream, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bream, Seminary Ridge, left on Tuesday for New York where she will join the "Score" Concert Company of which she has been a member for some time.

—Miss Vergie Musser of East Middle street spent New Year's Day and Sunday visiting relatives in Baltimore.

—Samuel Hershey and son Raymond, have returned to their home in Greensburg after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Hershey on York street.

—Mrs. Howard Stauffer and son, of North Washington street, visited at the home of Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Diehl in Hanover over Sunday.

—Miss Cunningham has returned to Philadelphia after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Paxton Bigbam, Carlisle street.

—Adolph Bangser of New York was the guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Eckert, Springs avenue.

—Miss Eleanor Lininger of Carlisle was a recent visitor at the home of Miss Margaret Williams, Water street.

—Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Glenn, West High street, have returned from a visit with relatives in Baltimore.

—Mrs. Harry Lightner of Arcanum, Ohio, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Lightner, Baltimore street.

—Miss S. Miley Miller, Baltimore street, visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Edgar A. Miller in East Berlin, this week.

—Roy Hartman of Springfield, Mass., has returned to his home after a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartman, Hanover street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Pfeiffer and Arthur Edmundson of Baltimore were the guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Miller, East Middle street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Deininger have returned to Watsonstown, Pa., after spending two weeks with relatives in town.

—Mrs. Phelps and daughter Miss Betty Phelps have gone to their home in Toronto, Can., after spending several months at the home of Paul and Mrs. Charles H. Huber, Carlisle street.

—Miss Ruth Annan of Beloit, Kan., who spent the past year with her sister Mrs. Charles H. Huber, Carlisle street, left on Thursday for Chicago where she will visit friends before returning to her home.

—Miss Gertrude Doersom has returned to Charlottesville, Va., after spending the holidays with her sister Miss Anna Doersom.

—Miss Margaret Coover, Seminary Ridge, has been appointed a substitute teacher for the grade schools of York and will assume her new duties on Monday.

—Miss Sadie Hoffman of York street was the guest of friends in Hanover on Wednesday.

—Mrs. Milton R. Remmel and Miss Margaret Smiley enjoyed a pedestrian trip to East Berlin on Thursday.

—Miss Esther Tipton of Philadelphia is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Tipton.

—Mrs. U. F. White of Salisbury, Md., is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Towell, West Middle street.

—Mrs. Rebecca Martin of Lancaster is visiting Mrs. Eliza Swisher at the home on West Middle street.

—C. O. Myers and H. T. Maring of town have been granted a patent on their invention for an improvement for out locks.

—Miss Eleanor Kaibfleisch has returned to her home in New York city after a visit with her sisters the Misses Kaibfleisch, North Washington street.

—J. H. Ashworth has been elected superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School, to succeed the late Prof. W. A. Burdum.

—P. P. Eisenhart, president of the new Board of Poor Directors for the county, entertained the members of the board and employees of the county County Home at an oyster supper held at that institution on Monday evening.

—W. E. Olinger and J. B. Wineman are making preparations to open a form implement store in the building of Jere Plank in the alley off Carlisle street.

—Mrs. Norman Wolf has returned to her home at Stony Creek after visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tawney, West Middle street.

—Dr. Walter H. O'Neal is visiting his son Dr. Alex. O'Neal in Wayne, Pa. for several days prior to going to Florida where he will spend several weeks.

—J. A. Smith and Miss Katie Smith, York street, visited friends at Reading and Lebanon this week.